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APANESE ADVANCE

the Russians Retreat to Vicinity of the Yalu River.

Scouts Occupy Wiju, Korea

nce Was Made by the Mikado's Forces s Morning---Russians May Be Compelled to Abandon the Fortifications They Erected North of the Yalu.

ON, APRIL 4.—3:31 P. M.—ATCH TO REUTERS TELE-O., FROM SHANGHAI SAYS. NESE SCOUTS ENTERED KOREA, AT 11 O'CLOCK ORNING. THE RUSSIANS NTLY RETREATED BE-'HE YALU RIVER."

any Soldiers in Field.

hai, April 4.—A letter receiv- from Koke, Japan, says the e have 260,000 troops in motion y 60,000 more under arms, in s and at the depots. The s are exclusive of the third re- numbering 120,000, which t been called to the colors. act number of troops which t Japan for their various des- s are not known, but the en- t army has been landed and ablished itself in northwestern with its main base at Shinam- e Japanese general staff still ards the plan of compaign, but nerally believed that it will three armies, each nominally ing 100,000 men, the second anding west of the Yalu river third army, west of New . The landings of the latter nies will be easily accomplish- the light cruiser squadrons otect both movements.

thought that the landing of a Japanese force west of the of the Yalu will force the Rus- o abandon the fortifications they have been erecting north Yalu for the purpose of oppos- crossing of the first army of se from Korea.

also anticipated that the three Japanese forces will operate in ction, the third army, swinging rd from New Chwang, seizing ting the railroad and then en- in a turning movement against in Russian position.

Japanese are confident that ssians will be unable to trans- supplies sufficient to maintain nchuria a force larger than men. The heavy detachments ary to guard the railroad and bases will, it is claimed, reduce the Russian fighting force to about 200,000 men.

The Japanese are requisitioning thousands of horses and it is probable that a considerable detachment of cavalry will accompany each army. Though the horses of the Japanese cavalry seem inferior to those of the Russians, the Japanese officers say they will satisfactorily acomplish the work planned for them.

Much Japanese artillery is departing for the front. The guns seem light, but it is believed that the Japanese have a number of heavy batteries equal in range to the best European field artillery. Japan also possesses a large number of excellent mountain batteries, which in a rough country will have a distinct advantage over the Russians.

It seems certain that Vice Admiral Togo's failure to effectually dispose of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur, has delayed the Japanese land operations.

A general thaw is now proceeding in Korea and Manchuria, rendering the roads impassable, and making it impossible to conduct general military operations until the ground hardens.

Want An Alliance.

St. Petersburg, April 4.—1:04 p. m.—The Russian newspapers continue to discuss the possible Anglo-Franco-Russian entente guardedly but favorably, while at the same time sharply criticizing the British Thibetan expedition. For instance the Novoe Vremya declares Great Britain's seizure of Thibet is bound to cause trouble for Russia because of its effect on those of her possessions which are under the influence of the Dalai Lama, but it follows this declaration with a significant editorial on the falsity of sentiment in politics, in which the point is made that Russia's assistance to the United States at the most critical period in her history availed her nothing and that the real interests of Russia and Great Britain now call for an understanding.

The Novosti favors an alliance, pointing out as a basis that Russia wants ports on the Pacific, an opening on the Persian Gulf and the free passage of the Bosphorus for which Russia will guarantee Great Britain peace in India.

LPHOS GETS NEXT MEETING.

esting Session of N. W. O. perintendents and Teachers Round Table Closed.

toria, O., April 4.—The annual ng of the Northwestern Ohio Su- tendents and Teachers' Round of Northwestern Ohio, was held on Friday and Saturday. Friday ing was devoted to visiting the schools of the city by the ers who arrived early. The af- on session at the Presbyterian h, was devoted to the discus- of timely educational topics. In evening at the church, Nathaniel r, D. D., of Chicago University, the annual lecture, his subject "Uses of Literature." The ses- of Saturday were held in the school building and there was a large attendance, when the dis- ions were resumed and reports matters of business taken up. lphos was selected as the place he meeting next spring and the wing officers were elected for the ing year: President, Supt. W. S. inson, of Fostoria; vice president, cipal J. F. Smith, of Findlay; sec- ry, Miss Minnie D. Johnson, of Ot- a; members of the executive com- ee, Supt. T. W. Shimp, of Delphos, t. H. D. Grindle, of Columbus ve, and Supt. Edward A. Evans, of ago Junction.

TWO FIRMS GO TO WALL.

One as a Result of Cotton Speculations—The Other From Coffee Dealings.

New York, April 4.—The brokerage firm of W. B. Mack and Co., has suspended. The firm traded in cotton and had a stock exchange membership. It had a mercantile rating of from $125,000 to $200,000.

Baltimore, Md., April 4.—The failure of Taylor and Levering, coffee importers was announced today. The members of the firm, Robert T. Taylor and Edward W. Levering will make a statement later of the cause of the failure. The firm was burned out in the recent fire in Baltimore, and was occupying temporary offices.

City Wins.

Washington, April 4.—The supreme court of the United States today affirmed the decision of the lower court in the case of the People's Gas Company. The case is that of the People's Gas Company vs. The City of Chicago. The decision is in favor of the city.

DENIED WRIT.

Chicago, April 4.—A writ of habeas corpus for the release of Marx, one of the car barn bandits, was denied today by Judge Chytraus. Emil Roeski, the last of the gang, was today placed on trial.

EXPLOSIVE COMPANIES

Have All Joined in Big Combine—Have Contracts Reaching Into Millions.

San Francisco, April 4.—Francis I. Dupont, of Wilmington, Del., is here. He is a member of the big powder combine which has recently absorbed the California Powder Co., California Vigorite Co., and three fuse companies on this coast, and is reputed to be making a deal to absorb the only remaining company here outstanding. Besides owing 34 American companies this combine has just succeeded in purchasing all but 20,000 of the 180,000 shares of the International Powder Co., which has valuable plants in Europe and Great Britain. The contracts of the combine to sell ammunition to the Russians and Japanese, are said to run into the millions.

PRESIDENT OF PERU IS LIKE OTHER PEOPLE.

Lima, Peru, April 4.—Drs. Laree and Curletti have pronounced President Candamo to be seriously affected with acute rheumatism of the stomach; and it will be necessary for him to go to Arequipa for two months to take the mineral waters there. Vice President Serapio Calderon has been summoned to take charge of the administration during the president's absence.

NAIL PLANT BURNED DOWN.

American Steel and Wire Co. Loses Property by Fire, Worth $200,000.

Pittsburg, April 4.—The nail department of the American Steel and Wire Co.'s plant at Rankin was burned down today, causing a loss of from $175,000 to $200,000. There were employed in the mill 350 men, and they will be given employment elsewhere. In the building were 250 nail machines, of an exceedingly complicated character and of great value, as well as 8,000 kegs of nails, which were more or less damaged. The origin of the fire is unknown.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED.

Boston, April 4.—Samuel W. McCall and Chas. F. Choate, Jr., today, were appointed receivers for the Union Trust Co., which closed its doors on Thursday last. The trust company's liabilities are placed at $1,600,000.

JOURNAL OF CHICAGO IS

In Hands of New Owner—Policy Will Hereafter Be as Independent.

Chicago, April 4.—The Chicago Journal has been purchased by John C. Eastman, who has been since its inauguration, business manager of Hearst American. Formal transfer was made today by George G. Booth of Detroit, and Ralph H. Booth, of Chicago. The sale of property was arranged by Charles M. Palmer, E. W. Harden, one of the owners of the New York Commercial and for many years connected with the press of Chicago, is associated with Mr. Eastman in the ownership and management of the paper. The Journal is the oldest daily newspaper in Illionois, having been established in 1844. It is a member of the Associated Press. The Journal has been republican in politics but it is understood it will be independent under its new manageemnt. The paper will be at once enlarged and many new features added.

THREATS OF LYNCHING AFLOAT IN THE AIR.

Roanok, Va., April 4. — Robert Bowles, colored, who two weeks ago, shot and killed John A. Ruff, a white fireman of a Chesapeake and Ohio train near Clifton Forge, Va., and escaped, was captured today at Huntington, W. Va., and is being taken to Lynchburg, Va., for a safe keeping. There is much indignation at Clifton Forge over Bowles crime and threats of lynching have been freely made. There was a large reward offered for the apprehension of the negro.

THE WIND BLEW.

Montevideo, Uruguay, April 4.—A hurricane has caused considerable damage to property here. Several vessels have been driven ashore in the harbor, including the British steamer Otterspool (Captain Parnell, from the Clyde February 21 for Montevideo) and the Italian bark Angela Accame, (Captain Batta, wharved at Montevideo, March 8, for Cadiz.)

CLASH.

Soldiers of Regular Army

And Members

Of Colorado National Guard

Have a Meeting in Which Arrest Is Prevented by Drawn Guns.

Farley, of United Mine Workers Has Issued Open Letter to Public in Which He Hopes for Arbitration.

Trinidad, Colo., April 4.—A clash occurred yesterday between soldiers of regular army and members of the state militia. Two companies of the fifth cavalry, U. S. A. arrived here enroute overland to Fort Apache, from Fort Logan. Several of their officers were entertained by Major Hill, commanding the national guardsmen. During this time a number of the regulars came into the city on leave of absence and meeting the patrol of militia, began hurling epithets at them. Captain Scholz of the state guards ordered a sergeant to arrest one of the most abusive of the regulars. The latter's companions prevented the sergeant from carrying out the order at the same time drawing their revolvers and surrounding the patrol. Scholz hurriedly dispatched a messenger to the cavalry officers, and Lieut. Mosely came quickly to the scene and ordered his men to their camp. They explained to him that they were just having a little fun with the soldiers. The matter will be investigated.

National Executive Committeeman Farley, of the United Mine Workers of America, has issued an open letter to the public in which he suggests a conference of mine operators and miners for the purpose of arriving at some settlement of the differences in the southern coal fields and thereby ending the strike.

IRON OUTPUT HAS DOUBLED.

Seventy-two Mines Produced Over One Hundred Thousand Tons Each.

Washington, April 4.—The iron ore output of the U. S. has doubled in quantity during the past six years according to a report of the geological survey which will be issued shortly. During 1902, the United States produced 35,554,135 long tons of iron ore, valued at $65,412,950, an increase of 23 per cent. over the production of 1901, and of 103 per cent. over 1897. The most significant feature of the statistics of the industry is that 10,272,780 tons of iron ore came from eight mines, and 16,248,280 tons from 18 mines, the shipping operations of all of which, with two expceptions are limited by climatic conditions to about 200 days annually. 126 operators produced 88 per cent of the production of the country. Seventy two others produced over 100,000 tons each.

BIG ADVANCE IN COAL.

Des Moines, Ia., April 4.—Coal advanced $1.20 a ton here since Saturday night. The price of soft coal is now $5.20 per ton, and it is almost impossible to procure it at that price. Manufacturers are preparing to close down their establishments.

TERRITORY POLITICS.

LAWSON, O. T. APRIL 4—AT THE ASSEMBLING OF THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION TODAY, COL. WATKIN, A SERGEANT AT ARMS OF THE LEGISLATURE, WAS SHOT THREE TIMES AND FATALLY WOUNDED BY EDITOR RUSSELL. HE RETURNED THE FIRE BUT WITHOUT EFFECT.

GENERAL IMPROVEMENT IN FLOOD CONDITIONS.

Cleveland, O., April 4.—As a result of the lower temperature which has prevailed over Ohio for the past 48 hours there was a very general improvement in flood conditions today at all points. The water in the St. Marys reservoir has fallen very rapidly since yesterday with the result that all danger of a break there is past. Traffic has been resumed on practically all railroads.

HE ESCAPED MANY YEARS.

Missourian on Trial for Alleged Murder Committed Thirty-six Years Ago.

Keokuk, Ia., April 4.—The trial of Charles Cackley for an offense committed 36 years ago, commenced today. Cackley shot and killed Reuben Fenstenmaker, at Farmington, Iowa, July 5, 1868, escaped from jail and until a short time ago was at liberty. During the interval he married and raised a large family to whom his crime was not known. Having served in the civil war, he applied for a pension. His name attracting notice on the pension list, and an officer was sent to Cackley's home at a woodchopper's camp in Southern Missouri. The fugitive was arrested and brought to Iowa for trial.

MEETING OF SULLY'S CREDITORS POSTPONED.

New York, April 4.—A member of the creditor's committee said today that the meeting of creditors of the suspended firm of Daniel J. Sully & Co., which it was intended to hold today, has been postponed. It was believed on Saturday that the committee acting for the creditors would have gathered sufficient information before today to enable the creditors to pass upon Sully's offer for a settlement. It is now believed that the meeting will be held latter in the week.

COADJUTED ARCHBISHOPS.

Three Names Being Chosen From Which a Selection Will Be Made.

Boston, April 4.—The ecclesastical advisors of Archbishop John J. Williams and the permanent rector of the Rome Catholic arch diocese of Boston assembled here today to select three men by ballot as most worthy to be chosen a coadjuted archbishop. From the three selections the authorities at Rome will make the appointment.

The names of the three selections will not be made public at this time. Bishop Matthew Harkins of Province, Bishop Brady and Bishop W. H. O'Connell of Portland, are the prelates whose names were most prominently mentioned. The appointment of the coadjutor is made necessary by the advanced age of Archbishop Williams.

TENNESSEE DERBY WILL

Be Run at Memphis This Afternoon—The Weather Is Fine for Event.

Memphis, Tenn., April 4.—With the weather almost ideal and the prospects excellent for a fast track, the sixteenth renewal of the Tennessee Derby will be run at Montgomery park today. In the entries published, four colts are named to start, two belonging to Captain S. S. Brown and two owned by Edward Corrigan. The prospects are that neither Sammuerl or Geronimo will start, leaving this historic event as a walkover for Conjurer and Proceeds, both the property of Captain Brown.

Both Conjurer and Proceeds are nominated for the American derby.

COAL ROADS MUST SUBMIT

Their Coal Carrying Contracts to Inter State Commerce Commission.

Washington, April 4.—The case of the Interstate Commerce Commission vs. Baird, commonly known as the anthracite coal case, was decided by the supreme court of the U. S. today in favor of the contentions of the commission, the decision of the U. S. circuit court for the southern district of New York being reversed. This is the case instituted before the commission by Mr. Hearst, of New York, who alleged discrimination by the railroad companies which reached the anthracite coal mines in Penna. During the hearing, some of the witnesses refused to produce certain contracts bearing upon the business of the railroad companies and the coal mines which action was upheld by the circuit court of New York. The U. S. supreme court held that the contracts should have been supplied. The opinion was handed down by Justice Day.

DICK IS GOING TO

Write Republican State Platform by Demand and Without Foraker's Aid.

Laylin's Friends Are Alarmed.

Columbus Churches Adopt Scathing Resolutions Condemning Governor Herrick for Interfering With Temperance Legislation---Effort to Pass Hype's Bill.

Columbus, April 4.—Gen. Chas. Dick will write the republican platform to be submitted to the convention here, May 17. Dick has written the platforms of the Ohio republicans for the past four years and they have met all requirements. Consequently he has been selected for that duty this year. It is definitely settled that Herrick will be chairman, temporary and permanent.

Laylin Frightened.

Columbus, April 4.—Secretary Laylin's friends are considerably alarmed at the growing disposition of the friends of the Brannock bill to saddle upon the state administration all responsibility for the exceptions being taken by the senate judiciary committee to the bill as it passed the house. Last night several of the most influential Columbus churches adopted resolutions censuring the governor for interference. Laylin, being a member of the inner cabinet of the administration, is peculiarly placed. A candidate for a third term, he stands to feel the displeasure of which ever interest suffers by the bill, and he has earnestly solicited the governor to keep hands off. This course, outwardly at least, is being followed now. The bill will be given a hearing Wednesday, Thursday at the latest.

Will Force Hypes Bill.

Columbus, April 4.—The administration plan is to force the Hypes election bill through both houses with as little delay as possible. Today, Senator Hypes was in conference with Secretary Laylin all the forenoon considering possible minor amendments for the measure to be reported in the committee hearing tonight. Effort will probably be made to have the bill reported before the Harvey bill is given consideration. To counteract this influence, the Cleveland backers of the Harvey bill may have it introduced in the house.

Candidate Weller.

Columbus, O., April 4.—S. A. Weller of Zanesville, will be a candidate for the congressional nomination in the fifteenth district, according to advices that reached the city last night. Weller will be a dark horse in the race, but expects to win out as a compromise choice.

NINETY THOUSAND EASTER OFFERING.

New York, April 4.—Members of Grace church (Protestant Episcopal) in Brooklyn, have broken their collection record in the City of Churches by contributing $90,000 as an Easter offering toward endowment fund.

For some time the church has had $38,000 toward such a fund. Six weeks ago, Dr. Wrigley, the rector, made a statement to the congregation asking that $60,000 be given as an Easter offering so that the endowment fund might reach $100,000. Great was the surprise when the offering had been counted and showed a total of the sum stated.

Grace church is one of the best known and richest Episcopal institution on Brooklyn Heights. It was founded in 1847.

SUIT IS NOT FRIENDLY ONE.

New York, April 4.—W. P. Clough, general counsel of the Northern Securities Company said today of the suit to recover Northern Pacific stock exchanged by Union Pacific interests for Northern Securities stock:

"It is altogether wrong to assume that this is a friendly suit. What our defense will be we cannot at this time disclose. We will make our defense in the court and it will be a good one."

SANDLES OF OTTAWA WANTS

Democratic State Central Committee to Endorse Candidacy of Hearst for President.

Ottawa, O., April 4.—Hon. A. P. Sandles, member of the democratic state central committee from the Fifth district, has received his notice of the meeting of the committee, which will be held at the Neil house at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of setting the date, selecting the place, electing temporary officers and make arrangements for the meeting of the democratic state convention. Mr. Sandles is of the opinion that the convention will be held in Columbus, the latter part of May or early in June. He confirmed the belief that there is a movement on foot in the committee to adopt a resolution, favoring the presidential candidacy of Wm. R. Hearst. Part of the committee and especially the followers of Charley Salen favor Senator Louis B. Houck, of Mt. Vernon, for chairman. He is said to be opposed to the adoption of any such resolution, deeming it prudent to allow the state convention to settle this important matter. While he would make no statement it is believed that Mr. Sandles is of the opinion the resolution should be adopted and the matter settled at the meeting Tuesday. Sandles does not stand with the Salen crowd, as he wants Hon. R. L. Starr, of Bryan, named as chairman of the convention. Starr is a Bryan man and a free silver enthusiast.

THOSE

Who Disturb the Peace Will Be

Dealt With Severely, Is Proclamation of Governor.

McCormick Advises State Department That There Need Be Little Fear of an Outbreak Against the Jews at Odessa.

Washington, April 4.—State department has received the following cablegram from Mr. McCormick, the American ambassador at St. Petersburg: "A rumor concerning a possible demonstration against the Jews at Odessa, having reached me, I communicated with the United States consul there, asking him if it were well founded. He replied to me as follows:

"Reports of anti-Jewish demonstration are not unusual at this season of the year. Owing to the occurrences of last Easter, the Hebrew population is exceedingly nervous, but with so energetic and humane a man as Gov. Neidhardt in charge of the city and with Baron Kaulbars as commander in chief of the troops in this southern county I should regard a serious outbreak of any kind as impossible. During the present week the official newspapers have continued notices to the public warning those who disturb the peace that they will be dealt with severely."

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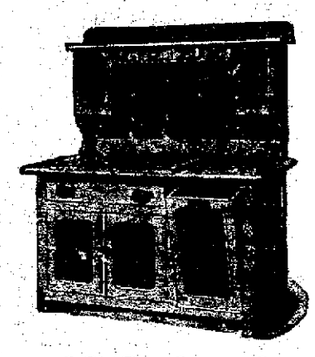

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Railroad Men Given Promotion.

Changes Made

At Three Stations on the Pennsy.

F. M. Eakin Is Advanced to Position of Agent at Bucyrus.

Will Be Succeeded, as Ticket Agent in This City, by Jack Reed—Another C. H. & D. Passenger Man Retired.

Lima is again called upon to provide railroad men to fill two important positions in the realm of their chosen occupation, thus adding another chapter to the railroad history which, for years, has indicated that this city is a stepping stone for the advancement that is merited by ability and true worth. Mr. F. M. Eakin, who has been ticket agent in this city for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for nearly five years, has been promoted to the position of agent at Bucyrus and will assume the duties of his new and important position within a few days. He is popular both in railroad circles and with the general public and his few years of service in this city has gained for him a legion of friends who entertain the best of wishes for his future.

The promotion of Mr. Eakin creates a vacancy in this city that is also to be filled by a local man of worth. Jack Reed, who has been night ticket agent at the P. Ft. W. & C. passenger station for a number of years, will be promoted to succeed Mr. Eakin and will be empowered to name his successor in the night position. Mr. Reed has been with the company for a number of years and is fully qualified for the new and important responsibilities he will soon assume.

The vacancy at Bucyrus is made for Mr. Eakin by the transfer of Agent John A. Burkett, formerly of Delphos, and well known in this city, to Van Wert, where he takes charge of the position made vacant by the deplorable death of Willis M. Flaherty, which occurred last Friday night.

Mike Sullivan Retires.

The latest passenger conductor to join the C. H. & D.'s retired list is Michael Sullivan, one of the veterans of the passenger service department and one of the most widely known men on the road. He surrendered his commission at Toledo Saturday. Freight Conductor Court Sheets, of this city, has been instructed to provide himself with the regulation passenger conductor's uniform, being in line for the next promotion to a passenger run.

No Passes For Employees.

The wives and children of many railroad men in Huntington, who for a year or more have planned to visit St. Louis during the summer and see the world's fair, will now be obliged to remain at home and read of the glories of the exposition, or listen to graphic descriptions of its wonders from friends, for the railroad companies have all issued notices that no passes to St. Louis will be given to employes during the progress of the fair.

As can be surmised the edict is not received with shouts of joy in the homes of railroad people; instead, disappointment reigns supreme. There are fully 500 or more wives of railroad men in Huntington who have planned to go to St. Louis on passes secured by their husbands, but now they must either purchase regular tickets or stay at home. The majority of them will probably remain at home for they can illy afford the additional expense which the railroad decisions necessitate.

Whether or not the railroads will issue transportation to their employes at the rate of 1 cent a mile is not as yet positively known but there is some talk of it. A prominent railroad man today stated that during the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, the railroads issued more free transportation to their employes than the paid mileage of all the rest of the visitors. Against a repetition the roads have all agreed not to issue any passes to St. Louis, so he stated.— Huntington Journal.

Giants of Their Kind.

Within a few weeks, the Salt Lake road will have in service two locomotives which will startle the railroad world. They are locomotives of size, shape and capacity exceeding anything that has been sent to the Pacific coast. They measure seventy-five feet over all and weigh 246,000 pounds each. There are twelve wheels beneath each, six of which are seventy-seven inches in diameter. Every part is made in proportion to the modern triumphs of the engine makers' art. The engine carries a cylindrical water tank of 7,000 gallons capacity, while the fuel tank is capable of 3,200 gallons of crude oil, a supply sufficient to haul an ordinary train 900 miles. Electric headlights and duplex air pumps, with a capacity of 60 per cent. greater than the ordinary pump, are features of these giants. There is to be no limit to the speed of these engines. Just what the running schedules with passenger trains will be is not decided. One of the engines will be put in service tomorrow and the other within a few days.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment." For sale by all druggists.

TROUBLE FOR BRITISH.

London, April 4.—Meagre details have arrived here of heavy fighting in Nigeria, (British West Africa, and of a reverse sustained bye the punitiv expedition sent against the Okpoto tribe, who in December cut up a British patrol, killing two British officers and 40 or 50 native troops. In the recent fighting the Okpoto's fought their way into the midst of the British square and killed or wounded many of the British.

ALL DANGER PASSED.

St. Marys, O., April 4.—Continued fair cool weather and the absence of high winds unite to lessen the danger of serious trouble at the grand reservoir between Celina and St. Marys. The flood is lowering rapidly and all fear of danger has passed.

MARYLAND LAWS RIGID.

Newcomers Must Declare Intention of Becoming Citizens Before They Can Vote.

Washington, April 4.—In an opinion by Justice Peckham the supreme court of the United States today sustained the Maryland statute requiring voters moving into the state to sign a declaration of their intention to become citizens as a prerequisite to the exercise of the franchise. The opinion was based upon the case of Pope vs. the Board of Registers of Montgomery county. Pope is private secretary to Justice White and upon changing his residence to Maryland, sought the right to register and vote notwithstanding he had failed to make the declaration required. He took the case to the state courts, which decided against him, and these courts were upheld by today's decision.

RUSSIA IS IRRITATED BY WAY OF PARIS.

Paris, April 4.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Petersburg, says the fighting in Thibet has revived irritation throughout Russia. The British expedition is considered to be a hostile act against Russia which cannot permit Great Britain to become mistress of the Thibetan capital, because she thus would acquire a preponderating influence over the Russian Mongols.

WHITE HOUSE CUSTOM.

Washington, April 4.—Hundreds of children of all colors and conditions, participated today in the Easter Monday egg rolling festival on the White House grounds. Except that the weather was too cool for perfect comfort, the day was ideal.

Dreadful Attack of Whooping Cough.

Mrs. Ellen Harlison, of 300 Park avenue, Kansas City, Mo., writes as follows: "Our two children had a severe attack of whooping cough, one of them in the paroxysm of coughing would often faint and bleed at the nose. We tried everything we heard of without getting relief. We then called in our family doctor who prescribed Foley's Honey and Tar. With the very first dose they began to improve, and we feel that it has saved their lives." Refuse substitutes. H. F. Vortkamp.

PORTER

And a Chop Suey Mixer Have Trouble,

And Former Is Bound Over to Grand Jury.

Clyde Walker Pleads Not Guilty to a Charge of Assault and Battery—Cases Disposed of in Mayor's Court.

George Long, the Chinese chop suey mixer in the Oriental department at Fred Harrison's east Wayne street resort, was the prosecuting complainant in an assault and battery case that came up in mayor's court this morning. Long had a gash cut under one eye that was sufficiently serious to put that one "lamp" out of commission, but he could see well enough with the remaining eye to sign his name to the affidavit and he did not hesitate to affix his signature to the document.

The defendant in the case was Otto Hall, alias Nelson, a colored man who is employed at Harrison's place as a porter. He admitted that he "dinged" Long on the cheek with the business end of a window cleaner, but claimed that he did it accidently. He entered a plea of guilty to the assault and battery charge, and was bound over to the grand jury.

James McCann and Wm. Palmiter, arrested for loitering, were permitted to leave the city.

On the charges of drunkenness, Wm. Ryan and F. Ashton were fined $4.60, and John Roberts was assessed $8.60.

Mrs. Fannie White, colored, charged with being an improper character, was fined $13.60.

Charles Pickering and John Thomas charged with fighting, were dismissed.

Clyde Walker, charged with having assaulted Spencer Burden, pleaded not guilty and the case was set for a hearing this afternoon.

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They Have Raised Funds to Protect Treasurer Who Is Reported Short.

Cleveland, April 4.—Friends of G. F Clewell, the missing secretary and treasurer of the Federal Trust Co., for whose arrest a warrant was issued Saturday, have raised a fund and stand ready to make good any discrepancies he left in his accounts at the Federal Trust Co. It is said to be the purpose of Clewell's friends to prevent, if possible prosecution on the part of the bank. Clewell's shortage so far as known amounts to $18,100 and this sum his friends stand ready to pay. It is understood that the bank officials will accept the proposition and probably withdraw the warrant.

THE IDLER.

The Jewish Sunday school donated $10 to the Associated Charities.

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The Y. M. C. A. Glee club will meet for practice at the Association building tonight at 7 o'clock.

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Leon A. Wise, flute and picoloist of Dana's band, will leave at 1 o'clock tonight for Pittsburgh where he will be engaged with the E. Einisbarth floating theatre.

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Amos Mowery and Ralph Hemmeter left for the Lewiston reservoir this afternoon on a duck shooting trip.

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Dick Sinclair has returned from Decatur, Ind., where he purchased a handsome four year old Belgian stallion, weighing 1950 pounds. Dick is reticent about the cost of the animal, further than to say that his new purchase, which will prove a valuable addition to the Sinclair & Britt stock farm, made him pay out more money than all the recent Linemann sale amounted to. It is Mr. Sinclair's belief that the Belgian stock will soon be recognized as the leading draught horse in this country.

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The Easter offering at Christ's Episcopal church, yesterday approximated three hundred dollars.

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Ohio Encampment No. 256 of Odd Fellows will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its installation this evening, with appropriate ceremonies. Hon. W. B. Richie will deliver an address.

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ITEMS

cerning Doings of People

South Lima.

ge Coe Sustains an Injured Arm.

n Hodde Jr. Given a emind er of His Anniversary.

and Visited, People Who ve, Sick Folks and Other Matters Mentioned—Personal.

rday, George Coe, of west street, a motorman on the Lake line, met with a painful which put his left arm out of s for the present. In some the brake handle slipped and ck and hit the arm just be- elbow, fracturing it.

More Improvements.

one-story business room just f the Barth block, and owned er Barth, was moved to the day. The block, which is a structure, will be moved north twenty feet and a two story n erected on the south side, will be occupied by Mr. Barth neat market and living apart-

y Frueh contemplates building business block on the vacant south of the market house.

vation has been commenced ew business block just north of le house on south Main, to be d by a restaurant and saloon.

A Good Attendance.

attendance at the Grace Sunhool yesterday was 475 pupils. eing Mission Sunday, the col- was $43. The church services ll well attended, but last night use was crowded to its utmost y. Revival services continue eek.

Given a Surprise.

erday, Wm. Hodde, Jr., was 22 old, and Saturday evening while n street doing some shopping, twenty neighbors and relatives at his home on Holly street, rranged for a good time. Mr. was very much pleased at a full house when he returned. , games, music and dancing enjoyable features of the even-

On the Move.

Exley, who has conducted a rant and bakery on south Main south of the C. H. & D. tracks, moved his belongings to Hicks-O.

J. D. Lawrence family today st Vine street, and are now lo- on east Market street.

policeman Ed Croy today moved mily to 209 west Elm street, east Eureka.

A Correction.

regard to the fire at the Colvin rty on south Union street, Friight, the Times-Democrat report- s misinformed as to the name e occupants and their former lo- . The household goods belong- Miss Anna Dilger, who, with a and nephew had been living in up in the city, and being tired ing in a block, had moved to the e described property. Miss Dilnd her niece work at the Deiselmer factory, and had gone to the of a friend; not caring to arrange their new home until it was re-papered. They knew nothing of their loss until Saturday afternoon, when Miss Dilger went to see if everything was all right. The goods were insured.

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Short Stories.

Mr. John Rhine, of Ada, is at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Gray, of south Main street, who is seriously ill. Mr. Rhine says the waters were 8 feet deep at the Hog creek marsh last Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Mack, mother of George and Captain John Mack, is able to sit up, after a spell of sickness.

"Goldie" Tullis, who has been a guest of his brother, Albert Tullis, of Second street, returned to Van Wert yesterday.

Charles Gallant and family, of Bluffton, were guests of south side relatives, yesterday.

Miss Nola Nolf, of Second street, returned yesterday from a visit with Wapakoneta relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson, of Greenlawn avenue, is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frowning and daughter Norma, of Minster.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thew, of east Vine street, returned from LaRue this morning, where they visited his parents.

Walter Dean, of Columbus, is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dean, of west Circular street.

Benj. Grant was able to be up street today. He has been a very sick man.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bader, of south Union street, were Uniopolis visitors yesterday.

Rev. W. M. Curry went to Columbus this morning, on business.

H. K. Halliday, of east Elm street, is a patient at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

The W. E. Hess family, of west Kibby street, spent Easter with Cridersville friends.

Frank Hagerman, the barber, was called to Piqua yesterday by the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, of east Kibby street, were at Lancaster yesterday.

Charles Burden, of south Central avenue, was a Wapakoneta visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shuler, of Holmes avenue, are guests of relatives at Montra, Shelby county.

The Misses Bessie and Dot Vandevier, of east Circular street, were at New Knoxville, yesterday. Miss Dot returned this morning, but Miss Bessie will remain for a week or so.

John Ewing and family, of St. Johns avenue, returned from Ottawa today.

Mrs. W. H. Roberts, of west Circular street, yesterday entertained Mrs. East, from near Lafayette.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bassler, of south West street, were visited yesterday by a brother, Charles Bassler and family, of Columbus Grove.

Low Fares to Washington, D. C., via Pennsylvania Lines.

April 10th, 11th, and 12th, excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., account Knights of Columbus meeting, will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines. For particulars regarding fares, time of trains etc., consult nearest ticket agent of those lines. d&w-tt

We have the largest stock of bicycles in Northern Ohio to select from. Hawisher Bros., 147 south Main street. 49-3t-e-o-d.

THE STAGE.

One looks constantly to the footlights these days for smart frocks. Miss Stella Tracey in "A Chinese Honeymoon," which is coming to the Faurot opera house next Wednesday evening is one of those very well dressed women who introduces costumes that are quite well worth copying. One of the prettiest models for an afternoon gown, which is worn by Miss Tracey, is of white crepe de chine, put in rib tucks all over broad bands and medallions of very heavy linen lace. The blouse is covered with groups of these tucks and a small piece of shirred white tulle and elbow sleeves of lace. The ruche and muff are of white chiffon and white roses.

A cloak which she wears in one of the scenes is a very good model. It has great pieces of embroidery, with star ornaments in front and across the sleeves, and three tiny capes of velvet as a collar.

She has also introduced a new way for the debutante to wear her hair. This is by putting four big roses over the top of it. The younger set of girls are quite enthusiastic over it, as it is quite becoming to almost every face. Then it is novel, and you know just how fascinating that is for a debutante.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas it has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to terminate the earthly account of our friend and associate, John J. Miller. He has closed his earthly labors and entered upon the new existence beyond the grave.

In all the relations of life he was faithful and true to every trust reposed in him, and to every duty he owed to his God; be it

Resolved, That we deeply deplore the loss of our associate, John J. Miller, but we bow in humble devotion to Him who doeth all things well," that we cherish the memory of his many virtues as a kind and loving father, and an upright, honest citizen, whose life was an open book to be read by all; and we especially remember him as one swift to discern the path of duty and sure to follow it to the end; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in full upon the minutes of this association, and a copy be transmitted to the family of the deceased, to whom, in their bereavement and irreparable loss, we extend our sincere and heartfelt sympathy.

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Pointed Paragraphs.

It's always difficult to make a tool of a sharp man.

It is folly to drum music into the head of a man who doesn't enjoy it.

Nothing worries some men like the expected trouble that never happens.

A woman who never thinks of anything but dress is more ornamental than useful.

Money makes the mare go until a man gets enough of it to buy an automobile.

A young man has too much confidence in the girl he loves to believe her when she says "no."

With the advent of universal peace there will be nothing left for the military man but marriage.

It doesn't cost very much to think as long as you don't back your conclusions with hard-earned cash.

Many a man who meanders around the free-lunch route daily likes to be seen entering a first class hotel.

When a man happens to win a dollar by making a lucky guess he soon goes broke backing his wonderful judgment.

When a young man begins to inquire about a girl's abilities as a cook it is up to her to ascertain if he can provide the necessary material.—Chicago News.

The health and fragrance and strength of the great pine forests are condensed in Pineules—a new discovery put up in a new way. A cure for Bright's disease, calculus, rheumatism, lumbago and every form of urinary disturbance.

The Secret Out.

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A Chattanooga Druggist's Statement.

Robt. J. Miller, proprietor of the Read House Drug store, of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "There is more merit in Foley's Honey and Tar than in any cough syrup. The calls for it multiply wonderfully, and we sell more of it than all other cough syrups combined." H. F. Vortkamp.

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WEATHER.

Washington, April 4.—For Ohio: Fair tonight and Tuesday with rising temperature; variable winds becoming southerly and fresh.

After his experiences in Australia, Dowie has decided that Zion City, with legal attachments, and its multitude of legal complications is a better place for him than either Australia or India.

Roosevelt has abandoned all fear of the moneyed interests. Andrew Carnegie who wants to get rid of some more of his fortune without accomplishing results, has informed the present occupant of the White House that he will furnish all the money needed to run the republican campaign.

The New York Herald this morning publishes the following interview with State Senator McCarren, of New York City:

"Instructions of the most positive sort for Judge Alton B. Parker, will be given by the democratic state convention. All reports to the contrary are unworthy of consideration. The unit rule will be adopted and enforced and the New York delegation to the St. Louis convention will name the man who is to be the democratic candidate for the presidency."

"Any other course would be suicidal," he continued, "Democrats in the south and west have said that they will follow the lead of New York if an instructed delegation is named. They have made it plain that New York must take positive action, and that if this state does not declare for Judge Parker, the convention will look elsewhere for its candidate. Judge Parker is growing in strength every day, and by the time the convention meets little will be heard of anyone else. He will be nominated on the first ballot, and, unless a mistake is made, no other name will be mentioned in the convention."

TIME FOR ACTION.

A trip through the flood devasted districts of this city will appeal strongly to the hundreds of charitable people of Lima

There are many whose homes were submerged, and property damaged whose circumstances in life make it possible for them to meet the loss, but there are many more who, struggling to eke out a meagre existence, have lost all, and are now face to face with the cravings of want. The people of Lima are charitable, but they should remember the injunction that charity should begin at home, right here in Lima, and right now.

The needy are under you very eye They are not Galveston flood sufferers; they are not famine stricken residents of India. These were contributed to liberally by the people of this city. Now there is an opportunity for genuine home, practical charity, and no heart, which believes in that greatest of human attributes, charity, should be closed against giving help.

There are two praiseworthy institutions in the city, devoted to the distribution of the necessities of life—the Associated Charities and the Salvation Army. These organizations have canvassed the situation, and know better than any other channel, where the greatest need exists. Contributions of clothing, food and fuel placed with either of these splendid doers-of-good will do your heart and soul good, and relieve the afflicted and distressed.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Otmar J. Feltz have been called to Olean, N Y., by the dangerous illness of Mrs. Feltz's brother, the Rev. James F. Mooney.

Supt. Emil Klay, of the National Tile Roofing Co.'s plant, went to Ottawa yesterday, for an over-Sunday visit with his wife, who is visiting her mother while recuperating from her recent illness. He was a member of the Easter dinner party at the home of Mrs. J. C. Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. VanCleave were guests of Ottawa relatives a part of last week.

Misses Mary, Harriet and Jessie Davy, of North street, spent Easter with their parents at Pandora.

After a visit with Mrs Samuel Underwood, of 752 north Jackson street, Mrs Ola Showe and daughter, returned to their home in Columbus Grove, yesterday.

Mrs. S. S. Smith and daughter, of Sault St. Marie, and Mrs. McKereghan, of Bay City, Mich., returned to their respective homes today, after attending the funeral of their father, Mr. George Close, of north Shawnee street.

C D. Crites was at Elida yesterday to inquire after the health of Harry Crites, who has been quite ill.

Earl John, Abner and Murlin Brenneman, Beryl Crites and Lloyd P. Sherrick were Easter visitors at Elida.

Mrs A. E. Pickering, of 282 south Pierce street, is slowly recovering from a serious illness.

Mr. C H. Chappell, of the City Transfer Co., is enjoying a visit from his mother who is enroute from Chicago to the East.

Mr. John Baker has accepted a position in St. Louis. His wife will join him in a short time.

ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

Hate your kin, if you must, but don't go to law with them.

It does not speak well for yourself to hate the town you live in.

Tell any woman her hat is too old for her, and she will be flattered.

Whenever we want to loaf, we don't give the excuse that we are going fishing.

"I like prejudiced people; if they are prejudiced in my favor."—Drake Watson.

Nearly every farmer is worried now with the fear that his plow won't scour

Would you rather have the sympathy of the under dog, or the success of the dog on top?

It often occurs to us that the most shiftless looking work in the world is driving piles.

When a baby squalls when it is being christened, all the other mothers laugh in their sleeves.

When a girl isn't good looking, her true friends blame it on the milliner and dressmaker

The first thing a woman plants is sweet peas, the first thing a man plants is potatoes.

How a little girl loves the baby! But a boy wants to get as far away from it as possible.

Life is entirely too short too spend any of it listening to the longings of a sixteen year old girl.

A man longs for hair on his bald spot as ardently as a woman dreads hair on her upper lip.

Somehow we don't like girls with big appealing eyes; they remind us too much of book agents.

Heard whenever two women meet: "Why haven't you been up?" "Why haven't you been down?"

FIGHT

Between the Union Pacific

And Jas. J. Hill

Over the Distribution Plan.

Devised by Latter to Close Up Affairs of Northern Securities Co.

It Has Unsettled Stock Market and Caused Feverish Fluctuations in Market—Fight Between Hill and Harriman.

New York, Apl. 4—The petition by the Union Pacific interests to enjoin the Northern Securities plan of distribution unsettled the stock market today and caused feverish fluctuations in the market. These seemed due to puzzled efforts on the port of professional traders to find the market without any clear idea of the actual effect of the news on values. The only fact left clear was that the suppositions on which they traded two weeks were unfounded. Their conflicting effort to retrieve possible mistakes caused a very confused price movement, but the undertone was weak on account of the apparent hostility between great groups of capitalists. Union Pacific opened 1⅛ higher than Saturday's close, and then receded as much below that level. St. Paul broke 2¼ on the opening sale and recovered half the loss, while Union Pacific was running off.

In the course of an hour the market became quieter.

On the curb Northern Securities was the only merger stock in which any actual trading was done in the first half hour today. It opened at 98, a decline of 2 points from Saturday's high price, sold off to 97 then back to 98. About 1,500 shares changed hands in the first half hour There were no transactions in the other stocks but bid and offered prices were wide apart. Northern Securities stubs was 225 bid, offered at 250; Northern Pacific was 132 bid, offered at 140; and Great Northern was 168 bid, offered at 172.

Northern Securities was the only merger stock traded in on the curb during the morning. At noon the stock was quoted at 99, a decline of a quarter from the high price. Sales amounted to 3,100 shares Aside from the sale of an ordered lot of G. N, there was no business in that stock or Northern Securities "stubs."

New York, April 4.—The stock market today opened feverish and unsettled as a result of the litigation by the Union Pacific interests against the Northern Securities dissolution plan Union Pacific jumped 1 1-8 and St. Paul broke 2 1-4 as a reflection of this influence. Prices generally were lower the declines running to about a point in Southern Pacific, Amalgamated Copper and Sugar. People's Gas ran off 1 1-4 after opening unchanged

The decline in the general market became pronounced, then Union Pacific and People's Gas broke badly. Union Pacific sold down from 87 to 84¾ and People's Gas fell 2½ below Saturday's close. Declines elsewhere reached four points in Chicago and Eastern Illinois certificates and 1 to 1 5-8 in Atchison, B. & O., Reading, Delaware and Hudson, Erie first preferred. Missouri Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Kansas City Southern preferred and General Electric. St Paul rallied in the face of general selling, then reacted and finally rallied over a point again, pulling the market up. Union Pacific got back to a fraction above last weeks' close, and People's Gas recovered 1 1-4. Otherwise the rebound was slight.

Prices hardened in spite of the suspension of the stock exchange house, which was not considered important. The recovery in the general market reached only about Saturday's closing level The advance was checked by heavy selling of U S Steel preferred which carried it down a point and Union Pacific reacted to 88 Rubber preferred rose 2⅜ while Wheeling and Lake Erie first and second preferred, Denver and Rio Grande, St Louis Southern preferred and Chicago Union Traction preferred fell 1⅝ to 2. Bonds irregular

A sudden demand sprang up for Chicago Great Western which lifted that stock 1¾ and the preferred B 11½. Union Pac. touched 90. Republic Steel preferred rose 1⅝ and Paper preferred 1½ The general continued sluggish Kansas City Southern rose 2 and T C & I. 1. Union Pacific ran off again to below 89 and the closing was dull and heavy.

Real Sarcastic.

Moscow, April 4.—The Gazette publishes a historical review of Russo-American relations, concluding

"Henceforth the Americans will be styled as the ungrateful Yankees."

Live Stock.

Chicago, April 4.—Cattle receipts 22,000; market strong, good to prime steers $2@$2 50, poor to medium $3 50@$5; stockers and feeders $2 50@$4 25, cows $1 75@$4 25, heifers $2@$4 50, canners $1.75@$2 50, bulls $2@$4, calves $2 50@$5 50, Texas steers $4@$4 60.

Hogs receipts today 32,000 tomorrow 25,000. Market steady to 5 cents higher. Mixed and butchers $5 20@$5 45; good to choice heavy $5 30@$5.47½, rough heavy $5.20@$5.35; light $5.15@$5 30; bulk of sales $5 20@$5.35.

Sheep receipts 22,000 Market strong. Good to choice wethers $4.75@$5.40; fair to choice mixed $3 50@$4.50; western sheep $4.00@$4 60; native lambs $4.50@$5.90.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, April 4.—Wheat, cash 1.02; May 1.00¾; July 88⅝.

Corn, cash 50½; May 51, July 51; Sept. 52.

Oats, cash 43¾; May 42¼; July 39; Sept. 33¼.

Clover seed, cash 6.44; April 6.30; Oct. 5.45.

ANOTHER

Even Break in Bowling Contest

And Few Chances Are Left for Banta Candies.

Another Two Men League Team Is Started at the Metropolitan Alleys With Several Entries.

The Banta Candies, so long at the head of the city bowling league, are not going at the clip which would enable them to recover the position they lost when they struck their recent losing streak. The best they could do in the contest Friday evening was to break even with the Hercules, the latter making the high score of 832 in the second game. The railroaders took two from the Royals, which leaves the latter tie with the Metropolitan Insurance Co. for last place. The present standing and scores made Friday night are as follows:

How They Stand.

Grand Union Tea Co.	36	15	706
Ramblers	35	17	675
Banta Candies	32	19	635
Hercules	28	24	538
Railroaders	25	27	481
Cincas	18	33	353
Royals	16	36	308
Met. Ins. Co.	16	36	308

Banta Candies.

Reed	211	168
Manuel	158	148
Lust	186	156
Bell	132	111
Banta	130	136
Totals	817	722

Hercules.

Havil	115	177
Guyton	203	175
Driver	134	122
Fisher	159	144
Custer	125	174
Totals	736	832

Railroaders.

Burkhardt	126	149
Lawlor	138	146
Davis	170	110
W. Burkhart	143	179
Hagerman	185	155
Totals	742	739

Royals.

F. Fox	156	127
Snyder	146	143
J. J Fox	140	135
Day	151	146
F Goes	140	163
Totals	702	714

Another League.

The Metropolitan alleys are getting up a league contest which will comprise eight or ten two men teams, with a substantial prize for the team finishing with the highest scores. Entries can be made now. Four teams have already entered.

Discouragement.

"You look discouraged."

"I am I've a regular Korea feeling.

"How's that?"

"Everybody's been walking all over me today without considering whether I'd like it or not"—Chicago Tribune

Obeyed Instructions.

Mrs. Goodun—You ungrateful creature. After I gave you that nice box of breakfast food the other day you sent all the tramps in town to my door.

Hobo Henry—Why, mum, on de box it said, 'recommend dis to your friends'"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

His Idea.

Bobby—Papa, Aunt Emma must be a cannibal.

Pap—Why, Bobby?

Bobby—I heard her say she had the minister for dinner last night.

LAW AND NATURAL HISTORY.

As an argument to defeat the passage of a law by the legislature of a western state to prevent the spring shooting of wild fowl it was gravely asserted by men who certainly should have known better that the wild fowl—ducks and geese which migrate to the south in the fall mate and nest and rear a winter crop of young birds in the south, where they winter, and then, returning north in the spring, raise another brood in their northern homes. It is difficult to treat such ignorant stupidity as this with any seriousness when the error is so very palpable. All of our wild fowl—ducks, geese, swan, crane and more—all of our migratory birds, breed but once a year, and while in some cases two broods are produced in one year, as in the case of the robin and quail and occasionally with some other varieties, the second brood always follows closely after the first and is absolutely confined to the natural period of nidification—the spring and summer season, wherever the birds may be located. The spring flight of all wild fowl is invariably made up of matured birds, never any fledgelings. The mating occurs during or immediately succeeding this spring flight; the summer is devoted to the rearing and care of the young brood; the autumn migration is forced by climatic conditions, which shut off both the food and water supply, and the four months are spent where food and open water can be secured, recuperating for the next season's campaign. Among all the millions of wild fowl which swarm on the lagoons of Texas and the gulf coast, among all the swarms of robins which populate the cedar swamps of the southern states, there never is found a case of winter breeding. It seems passing strange that men deemed wise enough to make laws should be ignorant of so well established a fact in natural history as the foregoing.

TWO EXPENSIVE MONTHS.

February and March are two expensive months for all the country north of latitude 41 Expenses always exceed incomes They are fuel destroying, fodder annihilating months, when one has to sit down and see the days slowly eat up the earnings of the previous summer—black and gloomy months, when so many old people die, and epidemics prevail, and trains are off time or ditched, and one gets weary of waiting for spring and liberty. If these two months could be snipped out of the calendar for the territory named and January buried on to April it would be a good thing. It is during these months that California pilgrims make life miserable for their friends left behind by aggravating and roseate descriptions of sunshine, warmth, fruits and flowers, their enjoyment of these luxuries evidently intensified by the knowledge that the rest of us are stuffing furnaces, thawing out water pipes, shoveling snow and fighting as best we can a temperature of zero or worse for forty days at a stretch. If we can ever find time we will go out there when they are being roasted to a crisp, cracked open with a ten months' drought and fighting dust storms and crop failures just to take a grim sort of satisfaction in knowing that things are partially evened up after all.

THE FAMILY HOTBED.

With the return of spring there will be some readers of these notes who will want to know how to build a small, inexpensive hotbed Select a sheltered spot, open to the sun, for the location of the bed. If new lumber is used, nail two sixteen foot boards to end pieces of a length that will accommodate the sash you desire to use, having the frame slope to the south some six or eight inches. Drive stakes at intervals of three or four feet outside the frame to prevent spreading, fill with green horse manure, wet down and plant your seeds as soon as things begin to heat Sow an abundance of radish and lettuce, enough tomato, cauliflower and cabbage seed to furnish plants for yourself and your neighbors, and try as an experiment a paper each of sage, red pepper and eggplant, these latter, with the cabbage and tomato plants, to be transplanted into the open ground as soon as danger of frost is past. Keep the bed well watered, and remove the sash on warm days to prevent a spindly growth. If you have never had a hotbed you will be surprised how much satisfaction this small outlay of work will bring you.

ECONOMICAL CORN HARVESTING.

The following was tried last fall: A man bought 2,000 range yearling sheep and turned them into a fine eighty acre field of corn in a western state. They first cleaned up all the weeds, then the leaves of the corn and then went at the ears, and so thoroughly did they do their work that not a bushel of corn was wasted in the field, and the increase in mutton made gave him a good price for his corn. He further rid his field of a lot of weeds and gave it a coat of one of the very best of fertilizers. This plan would only give good results during a dry fall.

THE BAD BOOK IN THE HAYMOW.

Literature, whether bad or good, is so abundant and cheap that it finds its way into the hands of all sorts of people and in all sorts of places. Not a few good, honest farmers' boys and as many town boys are being corrupted through the agency of a tough hired man and a bad book in the haymow. It is just as well for the farmer with young sons to look out for this risk.

We want it understood that any man who has abused us can't square it with us by abstaining from meat in Lent.

What Came of a Letter.

BY VALENTINE MOTT.

My Dear John:

In answer to your dear letter of last Sunday I wish to say, that Dr. North does call here about once a week. He used to be anxious about my health, and then too he seemed to like to discuss music and art with me. We are very good friends.

Now, John, you ask me point blank if I am in love with the doctor. There is no sense in running on in this fashion. I write merely to tell you that you needn't be afraid. He says I am an inspiration to him. The goodness only knows what he sees in me! I am such a humbug musically, intellectually and artistically that a man of his calibre should see right through me. He never suspects that I have not taken his medicine for months. The fact is John I am getting better day by day. You know the world is full of tired women. Some are tired mentally, some tired physically, and a few unfortunate ones suffer from both mental and physical fatigue. The society woman is worn out by a continual round of social duties. A working woman is worn out by real bodily fatigue and dull routine. Something more than *that* is the matter with me John. You know for years I have suffered from nervousness, lack of sleep at night, backache, and when the social season was over I was almost dead, but, thank goodness, John, I am a much stronger woman now, and I feel that I can take care of that cute, little cottage which you and I are going to occupy next fall. With much love,

Sincerely yours,
Jewel.

My Dear Aunt Kate:

I must tell you the good news. Right after receiving your letter, the day before New Year's I started in with new resolutions on the first of the year. I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce, at Buffalo, N. Y, as you requested me to do. I gave him all my symptoms, which were that I was tired—so tired—all the time and did not care to go anywhere, depressed and sad, and all ambition gone, backache and a dragged-out feeling, could not sleep, limbs feeling sore and aching. I followed the doctor's advice, which he went to considerable pains to make plain to me—to rest every day—a nap after lunch—complete relaxation—cultivate repose of mind, try not to worry and get as much outdoor air as possible, and practice long, deep breathing, expanding the lungs. Then for a uterine tonic, Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, coupled with a wash he told me of. I must say that after taking his advice for four months I feel perfectly cured and like a new woman.

Yours affectionately,
Jewel.

The above letters are not unusual as witness what the following women say:

"I am more than willing to state that Dr. Pierce's valuable medicine has cured me of a very disagreeable complaint," writes Mrs. John Kooman, of 832 Grant Ave., Schenectady, N. Y. "I suffered from female weakness, dull headaches, and distressing gas in stomach which caused me much pain. The pains in my stomach were dreadful while so much gas remained. I suffered most at night. The physician who attended me said he thought the trouble was floating kidney and he treated me for same. Not receiving any benefit from him, I changed doctors. The second one said I had womb trouble. I took treatments from him but kept getting worse. It was then that I applied to Dr. Pierce for advice, describing my symptoms. He quickly replied, directing me to take his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I did so, and after taking one bottle of each I was very much better. Continued with the medicine until I had taken five bottles of each, also two vials of the 'Pleasant Pellets,' and I was cured. I always recommend Dr Pierce's medicines to my friends when they are not well."

"I will write a few lines in praise of your wonderful medicine," says Mrs. Elizabeth McConell, of Rochester, Ind. "They have done wonderful work in my family for both male and female. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best lung medicine I ever heard of. It works like magic. It has done good work for us in every case where we have tried it. I believe that by the help of God, it saved my life. The 'Favorite Prescription' is a boon to females; it has done wonders for both of my daughters in their sicknesses. I advise all women who are afflicted to try it, and if they do they will never regret the price paid for it.

"My daughter is in quite good health, thanks to Dr. Pierce's medicines. My wishes are that all who are afflicted will try them and see what good can be done for the sick."

$3,000 forfeit will be paid in lawful money of the United States, by the officers of the World's Dispensary Medical Association, if they cannot show the original signature of each individual volunteering the testimonials herewith and also of the writers of every testimonial among the thousands which they are constantly publishing, thus proving their genuineness and the superiority of these medicines.

Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable and uniform cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women ever attained, the proprietors and makers of Dr Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in offering to pay $500 in legal money of the United States, for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or Falling of Womb which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

They have the most remarkable record of cures made by this world-famed remedy ever placed to the credit of any preparation especially designed for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments.

Send 31 one-cent stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for his Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1008 pages, bound in cloth.

A man's best friends are his ten fingers.—Robert Collyer

Idleness is the burial of a living man—Jeremy Taylor

The servile imitation of others is the true mark of a little mind—Greville.

Good breeding shows itself most, where to an ordinary eye it appears least—Addison

Ever think, boys, that the fingers that spank you, were once referred to in love letters as tapering?

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

LOST.

LOST—Watch and chain on Woodlawn, Market or North streets. Reward will be paid by returning it to Deisel-Wemmer Co 1t

WANTED—Boarders and roomers. A few persons can be provided with rooms and boarding at Mrs Zimmerman's, 945 north West street. 149-3t

WANTED—Good wood choppers. Steady work, good prompt pay Harry Rumple, both 'phones 384, Lima, Ohio 148 d&w-tf

WANTED—Furnished house for the summer or three down stairs rooms for light house keeping. Address C, care Times-Democrat. 7-3t

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade Special offer extended through April Best opportunity ever given. Few weeks completes. Have bought out Cincinnati Barber School Co., greatly improving it Write today. Moler Barber College, Cincinnati, Ohio. 48-6t*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms on second floor, with or without board, modern conveniences, furnace heat Call or address 222 north Pierce street, city. 48 3t*

FOR RENT—Rooms in the Deisel block, Nos. 135 and 137 north Main street. Steam heating, gas and electric light, rent reasonable. Call on Henry Deisel at cigar factory or either phone 119. Residence phone 465. 42-e-o-d-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One wardrobe, one ice chest Inquire at 354 south Pierce street. 49-3t*

FOR SALE—Team, wagon and harness Enquire at Sander's & Ritenour's feed store, 111 west Wayne street. 49-3t*

FOR SALE—A nine room modern house. Well improved; good reason for selling. Call at 663 south West street. 46-6t.

FOR SALE—Nice lot on west Market street for sale or exchange Low price for cash. Apply 717 west Market street. 46-6t

FOR SALE—8 room house and barn. Lot 50x200, with all modern improvements. $28 00. Enquire at 463 north McDonald street, Lima, Ohio. 4-6t

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TO EXCHANGE—Seven lots, corner Main and O'Connor avenue, for farm or improved city property. Will assume moderate incumbrance. Address J. A. Cost, 361 Rookery building, Chicago, Ill. 48-6t*

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oce of the Team Relieved of y Responsibility For the Failure of Fremont Team to Appear.

the presence of Prof. Steffens, resentative of the Times-Demo- ind the five members of the high l basket ball team, Byron ias, a member of the senior class, iad the management of the team season, acknowledged that he was responsible for the failure e Fremont boys to appear for the at the auditorium, Friday even-

withdrew the statement previ- made that he had left money the Lake Erie & Western ticket for the transportation of the ont boys, and acknowledges that ublic had been misled into the f that the game would be played heduled.

ice the explanation made in the s-Democrat, Saturday evening, mpression grew that the members e team, Messrs. Landick, Shaw, th, Winemiller and Whitmer, equally responsible with the ger, and had concurred with him he arrangement, but the boys wholly relieved of that imputa- in the interview which took place e high school this morning. The declared that they did not know Fremont wasn't coming until they arrived at the auditorium to dress for the game. It was then 7:30 and too late to correct the situation. Manager Thomas confessed that the members of the team were kept in ignorance of what had been done, and offers no excuse for having taken such a questionable responsibility on his own shoulders, other than that he feared the venture would be a losing one, and the team needed money to meet outstanding obligations and provide the boys with new uniforms.

But ten times the money cleared on the "scrub" game played Friday evening would not begin to pay for the loss of honor in amateur athletics, and the members of the team realize that all the good work they have done this season now rests under a cloud which they are unable to remove. The several hundred people who were present do not care for the quarter they invested, but they prefer to know what they are going up against, and to be willfully deceived, as in this case, has done more to injure basket ball than all the great work of this season has done to build it up.

Prof. Steffens demanded a thorough investigation, with the understanding that if the act of fraud was proven, high school athletics, so far as those responsible were concerned, would be discontinued for the rest of the season.

ADDRESS

To Which Men of Lima Are Invited.

Mr. E. T. Colton, of the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association will deliver an address to men at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight at 7:30 o'clock, "On the Foreign Work of the Young Men's Christian Association." Mr. Colton, on his graduation from the South Dakota University, refused profered political honors that he might devote himself to Christian work. He is a man of fine presence, a strong speaker. It will be a rare treat for the men of Lima. Admission free.

CARPETS WASHED AND CLEANED AT FIVE CENTS A YARD, AT NIAGARA LAUNDRY. PHONES 2.

LED

Into Roundabout Voyages

By the Flood

Which Kept Visitors Seeking Way Home.

Passengers on the T. & O. C. Compelled to Come to Lima for Connection,

On Account of a Car Leaving the Track at Near the Junction of the Detroit Southern Saturday Night.

Residents of Lima, including not a few school teachers who returned home from visits Saturday, were seriously handicapped by the high waters and several had to come by roundabout ways, changing cars several times, and traveling at a snail's pace at points where the water lapped the road bed on either side. A small party on the T. & O. C. coming from Columbus divided at the little station of Slater, at the junction of the Detroit Southern, some preferring to take chances of catching the northbound train on the latter road, while others, fearing to have to spend a night in the grimy little waiting room, preferred to go to Wapak, 12 miles distant, and connect with the Western Ohio.

It turned out that the first conclusion was the better, as the Detroit Southern train came into sight just as the T. & O. C. reached the crossing. After the transfer was made, and the trains started on their respective ways, the Detroit Southern was brought to a standstill and backed again to the depot where the passengers discovered that their late companions on the T. & O. C. were in trouble. A car on the latter road had suddenly left the track, and there was no chance of moving it before morning. A signal reached the fast disappearing Detroit Southern train and all on board the T. & O. C., including a number bound for Wapakoneta, and points further west, were compelled to come to Lima in order to get home that night. They arrived just a few minutes after the 9:15 car had left the Western Ohio station and had to wait another hour, before picking up the thread of their labyrinthine journey.

HURLED

From the Track by Passenger Engine.

William Jackman Injured on C. H. & D. Today.

Was Only Slightly Bruised, But an Iron Casting He Was Carrying Was Broken in Two by Force of the Collision.

William Jackman, son of the senior member of the firm of J. B. Jackman & Sons, was struck by the paper train on the C. H. & D. road this morning and the fact that he is still alive and only slightly injured is a remarkable feature of the accident. He is confined to his room at the home of his father in the Jackman block on north Central avenue, but is suffering only from a few slight bruises and a general shaking up, from which no serious results are feared.

Mr. Jackman was on his way to the Jackman & Sons second hand goods store from east Market street, about 8 o'clock this morning and was carrying a number of iron castings. At the Market street crossing he turned northward onto one of the railroad tracks and noticing the approach of L. E. & W. train No. 8, he stepped over onto the C. H. & D. track and did not see the paper train which was pulling in from the south at a high rate of speed. Engineer Ollie Warner, who was in charge of the engine, that was pulling the paper train, saw Jackman and sounded an alarm and endeavored to bring the train to a stop but could not stop in time to prevent the accident. The pilot of the engine struck the pedestrian and hurled him from the track with terrific force. One of the iron castings he was carrying was broken in two by the force of the collision but he escaped without having a bone broken and was able to walk to his home. He was attended by a physician but no symptoms of any serious injury either internal or external could be found, and Mr. Jackman will be able to tackle a foot ball game in a few days.

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There never was brought to Lima a finer, prettier line of draperies of all descriptions than we are showing now on the second floor of our new store. Come in and see them. There is plenty of light here to insure satisfaction. You see them here as you see them in your own home.

Bluem's stands for all that is best in Lima merchandise.

Ruffled Muslin Curtains.

Fancy stripes, polka dots, new figures; also plain muslin with lace and insertions, 60c up to $2.50 per pair. Special values at 88c and 98c per pair. All above curtains are finished at top ready to drape.

Ruffled Bobinet Curtains.

With lace insertion and edges, all sizes, prices from $1.25 up to $4.50 per pair. All above curtains finished at top ready for draping. Specials at $1.75 and $2.00 pair.

One line of Nottingham Curtains, includes all popular sizes, prices from 75c up to $4.00 per pair. All above curtains are finished with patent overlock corded edge.

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In Arabian and white colors, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00 up to $8.50 per pair.

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With neat edges and fancy insertions, prices $6.00 to $28.00 per pair.

Special values at $10.00, $12.00, $14.00, $16.50 and $20 per pair.

White Rennissance Battenberg Curtains, $7.00 to $15.00 per pair.

Brussels Net Curtains.

Special values, new styles, at $5.00, $6.50, $6.75, $7.50 and $8.75 per pair.

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For draperies and window curtains $1.00, $1.19, $1.25 to $3.00 per pair.

Curtain Stretchers 90c and $1.50 per set.

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New Dress Goods.

The Very Latest in Dress Goods in Pattern Lengths.

60 in. wide Scotch Crash Suiting, swell and stylish, a yard, **$1.39**

The popular Seive Etamine Fish Net Mesh, 7 yard lengths, a yard **$1.00**

60 in. Champagne, colored Burlap fancy, a yard, **$1.50**

Cheeney Brothers' New Spring Foulard Silks.

We are showing 15 yard cuts, "just a dress pattern," of the newest and latest patterns of the celebrated Cheeney Bros. Foulard Silks, the recognized authority on the creation of new designs. Colors brown, green, blue, gun metal, champagne, etc. We invite you to call and see these new silks. Price per yard

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A Big Purchase of Foulard Silks

Offered at a Price.

We picked up 1000 yards of all Silk Foulard in neat dots and small figures, new and good styles, colors golden brown, seal brown, navy blue and royal blue grounds, with white dots and figures. The quality is worth 50c the yard.

Our Special Sale Price A YARD 35c

More Apron Checks.

We have about one-half case left of the Ginghams we had on sale. We will close out the entire case at the same price. Here is an opportunity to buy splendid qualits of good serviceable Apron Check Ginghams for only

5c A YARD

American Oriental Rug Sale.

For one day, **TUESDAY ONLY**, we will offer a large collection of American Oriental 27x54 inch Rugs at special sale. When we say special sale it means a big saving to you. "Notice the regular price and the sale price. Regular price this Rug $3.50,

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Positive Satisfaction Guarantee on Every Sale at Our Store.

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We are Headquarters on Window Shades. Telephone our Store.

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WEDDED

Mr. John A. Edwards and Miss Ida Bowers.

Mr. John A. Edwards, a popular employe of the Rowlands furniture establishment, and Miss Ida Bowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bowers, of north Elizabeth street, were wedded yesterday at the home provided by the groom at 812 Bellefontaine avenue. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Kennedy, pastor of Epworth M. E. church. Both the bride and groom have a host of friends who wish them a happy wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards will reside on Bellefontaine avenue.

BEAUTIFUL

And Impressive Exercises by the Knights Templar.

The Easter day services held by the Knights Templar, in Masonic temple yesterday afternoon will long be remembered by all who were present. Eighty Knights with their ladies, filled the temple, and listened to the impressive ritual with responses by the Knights, all of whom were in full uniform except sword. Beautiful music was furnished by Organist Baird, assisted by a quartette composed of Mrs. Baird, Mrs. Woods, Geo. Metheany and R. O. Woods.

Mrs. Chas. Black and Mrs. E. V. Wells sang a beautiful duet.

Rev. J. M. Mills, grand prelate of the grand commandery of Ohio, delivered an intelectual address, one fitting the occasion.

The floral display which decorated the temple was elaborate and beautiful.

Before the close of the exercises, a collection was taken up, from which $20 were realized. This was this morning handed over to the Associated Charities.

LIMA LODGE NO. 205, F. & A. M.

Stated communication this evening. Work.

ROBT. P. JONES, W. M.
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REMAINS

Of Mrs. Will Herr Are Consigned to Rest.

The last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Will Herr, were held at the residence on south West street, Saturday afternoon. The services were attended by a large gathering of the friends and relatives of the deceased. Rev. Dr. R. J. Thomson officiated at the services which were very impressvie. In the funeral sermon, Dr. Thomson paid a glowing tribute to the beautiful Christian life of the departed. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Oscar Mowen, J. W. Mowen, Carson Dalzell, A. E. Scheithe, M. U. Bassinger and J. Boyd Douglas. The body was laid to rest in Woodlawn cemetery.

One hundred Monarch and Crescent 1903 bicycles for sale at greatly reduced prices. For cash or easy time payments. Hawisher Bros., 147 south Main street. Both phones No. 20.
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ROYAL

Purple Degree Conferred at Sidney,

And a Large Representation From Lima Was Present to Help in the Work.

Fifty-four members of Lima and Ohio Encampment, I. O. O. F. had a royal time at Sidney, Friday evening, where they were entertained by Oscola Encampment, No. 63. The Royal Purple degree was conferred on a large class and in addition to Lima members of the order were present from Wapakoneta, St. Marys, New Bremen, Bellefontaine, Piqua and Rosewood.

The visitors were royally treated, the ladies of Mark's Episcopal church serving supper in the assembly room of the court house, and the Lima visitors returned home at 2 a. m., delighted with the work, in which they had a share.

W. C. Myers, of Wooster, Grand Patriarch of the grand encampment was among those present.

Pimples, sores, bad breath, headache, indigestion and constipation positively cured with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Now's the time to cleanse your system of all impurities. 35 cents. H. F. Vortkamp.

TRINITY M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The contest between the boys and girls, which has been running for the last quarter, ended Sunday. It grew very interesting between the boys and girls as to which should have the better attendance. The girls, under the leadership of Miss Lettie Reid, won by 17 points. The side not winning, will furnish a social to the entire school. Thus the boys, with the assistance of Mr. Chase, are preparing to give this social Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the Sunday school rooms.

The evening will be made a delightful social time with music by the orchestra, refreshments and entertainment furnished by the boys. Parents and children will come together and enjoy the evening.

The contest for the coming quarter will be organized by W. T. Copeland, as leader of Company A. and Miss Reid as leader of Company B, chosing the closses that will compose each company. Come Friday evening.

DON'T MISS SEEING THE BEST AND STRONGEST VAUDEVILLE SHOW IN THE CITY AT MILLER'S NEW VAUDEVILLE THEATRE, 133 EAST WAYNE STREET. HEAR AND SEE O'BRIEN, LOVE AND O'BRIEN; MISS MABEL JACKSON; CORRO AND CORRO; MISS ALMA FAIVRE; O'NEIL SISTERS AND CHARLES TENNEY, AN OLD LIMA BOY. THIS IS THE ONLY THEATRE GIVING A CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE. NO TEDIOUS WAITS OR OVERTURES TO MAR YOUR PLEASURE. 1t

FUNERAL

Of Miss Jennie Irene Toy Held This Afternoon.

The funeral services of Miss Jennie Irene Toy were held this p. m. at 2 o'clock from the Wayne street Church of Christ, Rev. W. A. Brundige officiating, the remains were placed in the receiving vault of Woodlawn cemetery. The out of town people were Miss Lulu Trier, Lillian Prince, Ray Prince, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Depner and Mrs. Will Parks, of Fort Wayne.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED PEOPLE

Guessed on the number of pennies in M. U. Basinger's display window. Only two persons guessed the correct number which was 1486. Vandoran Holtz was first to guess the above number. This entitles him to the beautiful $20.00 tankard.

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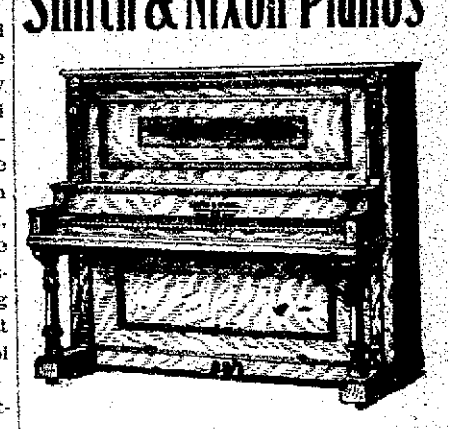

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A LEAP YEAR PROPOSAL

By JOHN BRIDGES

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Henderson rolled uneasily in his sleep Macdonald, his bunk mate, jabbed his knee into Henderson's back "For heaven's sake, he still," he cried. "You're getting all the blankets off and it's colder n ice."

Henderson woke up "I'm sorry, old man," he said "But you can have a good sleep tomorrow morning I'm going away today, and shall probably not be back again tonight. Did I say anything in my sleep?"

"I should say you did," replied Macdonald. "You were talking half the night—a whole lot of rubbish about blue eyes and black eyes and hair and things."

"Did I mention any one's name?"

"Not while I was listening I pulled the blanket up over my head and refused to be let into your secret."

The two men tumbled out of their bunk. They went to the door of their cabin. The first rays of the sun came swiftly over the Sangre de Cristo, and the whole range was outlined in crimson.

The snow capped peaks rose cold toward the sky, and above the blue was unflecked by cloud Across the valley there had been but little snow—only here and there were little patches which the wind had brought down from the mountain side and scattered against the windward of the sagebrush. Rabbits scurried across the plain in search of what little food might be found. As they ran they showed white tails—like great chrysanthemums drifting across the levels

Macdonald got into his corduroy and pulled on his heavy hunting boots He reached for his rifle, a little 22 long, and started out "Tomorrow being Sunday," he said, "I propose to construct a rabbit pie for dinner like mother used to make, and I guess I can land a few jacks before breakfast. Poor little devils!" he continued "I'm going to give them a chance for their lives anyway. I hate a man who will shoot rabbits with a shotgun. With a rifle like this it takes some skill, and there is at least a fighting chance for the beasties. I'll be back in an hour. You don't mind getting breakfast alone, do you?"

Henderson made no reply, but ground some coffee and stirred up the fire. Macdonald swung off down the hill and across the plain toward the sagebrush. Henderson watched him till he was a mile away; then he went out into the open air and took great long breaths of it. Going into the little stable, he fed his pony, a little buckskin brute, which till Henderson took her in hand had been known as the ugliest pony in the San Luis. She whinnied delightedly as Henderson opened the stable door. He fed her a double portion of grain and brought water for her from the spring. He gave her, too, an extra quantity of hay. "Better eat it all, old lady," he said. "You've got a long day before you."

He went back to the cabin, cooked some eggs and bacon, made coffee and drank three cups of it, hot and strong and without sugar or milk. Then he packed a can of food in a saddlebag and carefully tied it to the saddle which hung beside the door. He filled his revolver and his belt with cartridges and put his rifle alongside the saddle. From under his bunk he drew a small tin box, unlocked it and took out a package of letters He did not open the package, but threw it, still tied with a bit of leathern thong into the fire. For two or three minutes he stood and watched the letters burning; then he sat down at the table and wrote rapidly:

Dear Old Mac—You will find the bacon cut and the eggs ready for scrambling The coffee is all made and is pretty good this morning I have taken some of your cartridges I found I didn't have quite enough of my own, and I may not have a chance to get any more I am going away now I shall not be back. I hope the rabbit pie will turn out to be a good one. Yours, HENDERSON.

He folded the letter and placed it under Macdonald's cup Then he took the saddle to the stable, cinched it tightly on the pony, took his rifle, mounted and rode away up the trail which led directly into the mountains.

An hour later Macdonald returned with five rabbits swinging at his side. He was whistling In one hand was his game and in the other he carried his rifle When he reached the door of the cabin he kicked it to attract Henderson's attention. "Open the door, will you, old man?" he called.

There was no answer Macdonald put down his rifle and entered "Probably he's out at the stable," he thought. Then he saw the letter.

Macdonald sat down and stared blankly before him "Won't be back!" he exclaimed "Won't be back! What does all this mean?"

He went to the door and looked up and down the trail from the stable. There were no marks of a horse's feet showing on the frozen earth Returning to the cabin he cooked his eggs and bacon, ate hurriedly and again slinging his rifle over his arm he walked rapidly in the direction of Alamosa

Henderson rode all day At night he had come to the very crest of the mountain where the trail descended to the camp on the other side It was near 6 o'clock A moon was rising somewhere in the east, and Henderson watched it eagerly He took from his saddlebag a can of meat and opened it eating ravenously The pony watched him. She whinnied and called his attention to the fact that she had had nothing to eat since morning.

Henderson rose from the snow and put her bridle rein back over the saddle and led her to the trail which led back toward his cabin. "Go home, old girl," he said, "but don't tell them where you left me This is as good a place as any in which to die Good bye."

The pony started down the trail Henderson took a cartridge from his belt and fitted it into his rifle "I wonder, he said, if they kill quickly?"

He placed the butt of the gun against a jagged rock—the muzzle over his heart Then he turned and looked out over the east to the morning, which was big and round and beautiful

While he stood watching a soft india rubber like nose was pushed over his shoulder, and the ugliest pony in all the San Luis said as plainly as a horse can say things that she was hungry and wanted to go home Henderson dropped the rifle into the snow "We'll give them one more chance, old lady," he said.

Then he climbed wearily into the saddle and rode down toward the valley

When he reached Alamosa he took the pony to the stable and fed her royally.

Afterward he went to the postoffice There was a letter there for him This is what it said

My Dear—I am so sorry—so dreadfully sorry—about it all Mr Macdonald has written Frances now you would not tell me about your failures and all that sort of thing Why didn't you? Why couldn't you have told me that you wanted me to help you fight out" I would, dear—oh, I would! And why didn't you ask me whether I cared—cared more than anything in the whole world" Why didn't you, dear?

Surely to ask me to love you wouldn't be asking so very much. I am waiting, dear Will you come" KATHERINE.

Henderson came out of the postoffice and found in front of the hotel a group of men. They were mounted and evidently ready to ride away. Macdonald was with them. "We'll go first up the trail toward Sunnyside," he said.

Henderson walked over to the group

"Were you looking for me, old man?" he asked. "If you were you're just in time to go with me to the station. The train leaves at midnight."

Then he handed the letter to Macdonald.

When the little narrow gauge train pulled out that night Henderson occupied one of the berths of the Denver sleeper. Three days later he was in New York. Katherine was waiting for him.

The next spring Macdonald found the rifle at the foot of the jagged rock on the crest of the mountain.

Where the System Was Weak.

"So you've been fighting, have you?" said Johnny's father, more in sorrow than in anger. "Well, did you beat him?"

"No," said his son.

The old man surveyed his son in silent grief

"It's wicked to fight," he said absently, "but it's a sight wickeder to get beat I was never beat when I was a boy, as I've often told you. When I was a boy I allus aimed to get in the first blow."

"That's what I did," said Johnny.

"Well, you must have been too easy with it. My system used to be to hit him one hard under the chin, and it would be all over. That system never failed."

"But suppose," said Johnny, "that when you got in that blow you knocked him on to a pile of bricks, and he finished up the contest with half a brick in each hand? What's the next move in the system that never failed when you were a boy?"

"My boy," said the old man after a moment's consideration, "I am surprised that you should expect your old dad to give you advice that would tend to cultivate a quarrelsome disposition in you. Go out and play."

Wars and Their Causes.

There was a good deal of truth in the saying that England drifted into the Crimean war without knowing exactly why it did so. Not less accurate was Lord Palmerston's familiar declaration concerning the Sleswick-Holstein troubles Only three men in Europe, he said, ever knew what those war making troubles were. Two of the men died before the war broke out, and the third forgot what was the point in dispute. A slighting reference by Frederick the Great to Mme Pompadour was one of the exciting causes of the Seven Years' war. An overturned glass of water was one of the contributing elements to another The omission of a simple "etc." was the peg upon which an earlier one was hung The theft of a lady's petticoat brought Moors and Spaniards to bloodshed. The smashing of a mandarin's teapot was the basis of a war between the imperial forces of China and hill tribes which lasted for generations.

An Anecdote of Pope.

There is an old anecdote of Alexander Pope concerning one of the old watermen who was employed for many years in rowing Pope on the Thames. Pope was in the habit of having his sedan chair lifted into the punt If the weather was fine, he let down the glasses, if cold, he pulled them up He would sometimes say to the waterman:

"John, I am going to repeat some verses Take care and remember them the next time I go out."

When that time came, Pope would say

"John, where are the verses I told you of?"

"I have forgotten them, sir"

"John, you are a blockhead I must write them down for you"

John says that no one thought of saying, when speaking of him, "Mr. Pope," but that he was always called "Mr Alexander"

Bees Honey and Tar will prevent or cure pneumonia. It will utterly destroy the germs of the disease It is marvelously efficacious in every form of lung inflammation, tones up the exhausted glands and builds up the muscular tissues Cures all coughs croup whooping cough and expels colds in one night Try it For sale by H. F Vortkamp's drug store

FARM·ORCHARD·GARDEN

By J S TRIGG

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The past season has been particularly bad for cold storage butter

Nothing but coin goes in the Philippines, as the ants eat up the paper money.

Go make thy garden as fair as thou canst;
Thou workest never alone
Perchance he whose plot is next to thine
Will see it and mend his own.
—Robert Collyer.

There is a good deal of happiness in this world connected with wanting something and being actively engaged in the pursuit of it, with good prospect of getting it.

The difficulties which beset the culture of tea in this country are appreciated when we know that the American product has to compete with that produced in Japan by women who receive 12 cents per day.

It is generally conceded that silage is put up at a less cost than dry fodder and possesses a considerably greater feeding value. Then, too, the weather is not a damaging factor in the matter of securing ensilage.

The forehanded man is busy at this season of the year getting his next season's wood pile worked up. It is a piece of forethought, by the way, that the good wife of the house will thank him for every day she burns the dry wood next season.

Should a tree peddler tell you that the Northwestern Greening is a good apple, but won't keep beyond the first of January, show him the door. He will doubtless have a variety very much inferior to offer in its stead The Northwestern Greening keeps nicely until April or May.

There is no agricultural prosperity in the whole wide world which equals that enjoyed by the western farmer who feeds out the raw material raised on his farm, the seller of beef, pork, butter, mutton, eggs poultry and the like The farm of such a man is growing richer and more productive each year.

The writer is enjoying a very good whiff of June time in the shape of a sprig of white lilac in full leaf and bloom. A friend cut a branch from the bush last fall, putting it in a pail of water in a warm corner of the house. The growth of the leaves and blossoms has been entirely due to nourishment received from the water and air.

It by no means follows that because one man can raise a pair of horses which will sell for $500 all other men engaged in raising horses can do the same. Most folks are just common folks, and most horses are just common horses. Only rarely is a man found who rises above the common level, and equally rare is it to find a horse which combines so many equine excellencies as to make him worth three times as much as a common horse.

Iowa as one of the leading corn producing states devotes 9,500,000 acres to corn each year, the average yield being thirty two bushels per acre. It is believed that ten bushels per acre could be added to this average were accurate and scientific methods of selecting and testing the seed adopted and corresponding care exercised in planting. While this is not a large matter for any one farmer, it mounts into the enormous total of 95,000,000 bushels for the whole state, representing a cash value of about $40,000,000

The Wealthy apple has been kept this winter under ordinary cellar conditions in northern Iowa and southern Minnesota in excellent condition until Feb. 10, when selected fruit was carefully packed in boxes in oats. We saw these apples, ate them and found them in quality superior to any of four varieties of New York state winter apples which we had in the cellar There is really no better way for a large portion of the northwest to secure choice winter apples than to provide some way of holding the Wealthy over. No apple does so well under cold storage.

A reader of these notes writes inquiring as to the best method of restoring fertility to a twenty acre field which has been cropped to corn until it has about run out and asks if sowing early to oats and clover and plowing under will accomplish the desired result during one season We think not. The fertilizing value of the clover plant lies mostly in its root system, which could not secure sufficient development in one season We would suggest the application of six or eight loads of manure per acre with a manure spreader, if such fertilizer is necessible If not sow mammoth clover as early as possible, cut and leave on the ground in early July, allowing the second growth to stand. Cut off a crop of hay the next June and plow the second growth under in the fall While this method requires two years, it is about the only way if suitable fertilizers are not to be had.

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S. S S. improves the appetite, aids the digestion and reinforces the system, and its good effects are seen almost from the first dose It acts promptly in cases of chronic dyspepsia, indigestion and all stomach troubles, and does away with the uncomfortable fullness, nausea, shortness of breath, drowsiness and dizziness that so often come after eating

I have no hesitancy in recommending your S. S. S. as the best Spring tonic on the market. I have used many other medicines, but find S. S. S. to be undoubtedly the only tonic that will build up the system. I shall take pleasure in telling all whom I think in need of a good blood tonic of your medicine
Yours truly, LEWIS S. FIEBER,
Care Stoll, Hamilton & Co. Lexington, Ky.

S S S. is not only the best tonic but possesses alterative or purifying properties, and if there is any taint, humor or poison in the blood it searches it out, and removes it Many times a low state of health is due to a bad condition of the blood and can only be remedied by a blood purifier and tonic combined, or such a remedy as S S S

If you suffer from debility, insomnia, nervousness, loss of appetite, bad digestion, or any of the symptoms of a disordered blood, nothing will so soon put your blood in good condition, invigorate and tone up the system as S. S. S.

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Colonist Tickets to West and Northwest via Pennsylvania Lines.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the East Iron Machine Co., held at their office, April 6, 1904, at 7 30 p m, for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting

42 10t J. L. SIMPSON, Secy

Saves Two From Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs W K Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr King's New Discovery Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well" Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth Infallible for coughs and colds 50c and $1 00 bottles guaranteed by H. F Vortkamp Trial bottles free

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Eugene Garau as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of David L. Garau, Deceased,

Plaintiffs,

vs

Della Krumen, et al,

Defendants

Defendants will take notice that on the 12th day of March, 1904, plaintiffs as executor of the last will and testament of David L Garau deceased, filed his petition in the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, which case is numbered 11838 against Della Krumen and Adolph G Gabas who reside at Leretta, Kentucky, Mary Donze a resident of Lincoln, Nebraska, children of Julia Estelle Gabas, deceased, and Laura Leffel Leah Garau, Eliza G Garau and Nadine Garau children of William Garau deceased who reside in the Republics of Switzerland and France in the grand division of Europe The prayer of the petition is that the court give judgment and direction in regard to the true construction of the will of David L. Garau deceased. Said defendants, heirs of Julia Estelle Gabas and William Garau, deceased are required to answer and set up any claims they may have under said will or otherwise in regard thereto by the 23rd day of April 1904 or they will be considered in default for answer

EUGENE GARAU,
As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of David L. Garau, Deceased
By WELTY & DOWNING,
His Attorneys
131-mo-tu-6w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Oscar G. Butterfield, deceased The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Oscar G Butterfield, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 26th day of February, A. D, 1904.

W. J. RICHIE,
Administrator.
sat-mon 118-4w

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the probate court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on

April 23rd, A. D., 1904,

Between the hours of two and four o'clock, in the afternoon, at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Allen and state of Ohio, to-wit

Inlot number fifty two hundred and seventeen (5,217) in Stoner's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, also twenty-three (23) feet of land off the west side of inlot number fifty two hundred and sixteen (5,216) according to the original plat records in plat book 4, page 61, of Stoner's addition, the east line of said premises hereby conveyed being the same line as if the line that separates lot fifty two hundred and ten (5,210) and fifty-two hundred and eleven (5,211) was extended north on said plat, would be the east line of said twenty three (23) feet, said property being on the east side of Metcalf street between the Elida road and the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad Company's right of way, and being house number 514 north Metcalf street

Appraised at $1500 00
Terms of sale Cash.
Lima, Ohio, March 25, 1904
WILLIAM FETH,
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of John Heil, deceased.
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock,
His Attorneys.
141-fri-sat-tt

LEGAL NOTICE.

Ernest Tibbs, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 16th day of March, 1904, Anna L Tibbs, filed her petition in the court of common pleas, of Allen county Ohio, being cause number 11,842 praying for a divorce from the said Ernest Tibbs, on the ground of wilful absence, and said cause will be for hearing on or after the 2nd day of May, 1904

ANNA L TIBBS.
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock, attorneys. fri-sat-135-6w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of O W Baker, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of O W. Baker, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 24th day of February, A D, 1904
117-fri-sat4w L. M. BAKER.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Alexander C Bitler, deceased The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Alexander C Bitler, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 3rd day of March, A D 190.
123 fri sat-3w A. P. CARY.

LEGAL NOTICE.

The undersigned, assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Stephen L Woodward will sell at public auction, at the east door of the court house in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, April 9th, 1904,

at ten o'clock a m, of said day, certain desperate claims consisting of book accounts, etc, an itemized list of said claims are on file in the probate court of Allen county, Ohio.

Terms of sale Cash
M E SEALTS,
Assignee of Stephen L. Woodward.
Lima, Ohio, March 29th, 1904.
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock, Attys
144 10t

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Jacob Crites deceased The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Jacob Crites late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 26th day of March, A. D, 1904

STEPHEN D. CRITES
142 sat mon-3w

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the county commissioners, at the auditor's office till 12 o'clock, (standard time) April 20th, 1904 for the improvement of a portion of the Spencerville road, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same according to plans, profile and specifications on file at the office of the county surveyor

By order of the commissioners.
GEO FELTZ, Auditor
J. C CRONLEY, Eng 36-30t

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

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No. Trains West.
7 Pacific Express for Chicago Daily 1.38 a.m.
21 Chicago accommodation. Daily except Sunday..8:42 a.m.
3 N Y, Chicago Ltd Dly 11:35 a.m.
13 Wells Fargo Express Dly. Except Monday 4:29 p m.

Trains East.
8 N. Y. and Columbus Dly. 3.57 a.m.
22 Marion and Columbus, Daily except Sunday.. 8:21a.m.
4 N Y. and Boston, Daily. 4 25 p m.
14 Wells Fargo Express. Dly. except Sunday 9:32 p m

Trains 13 and 14 will not carry baggage.

Trains 3 and 4 carry through coach Chicago to Columbus.

C. H. & D RAILROAD.

No. South Bound.
7 Daily, leaves 2.10 a.m.
11 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves..6:30 a m.
1 Daily ex Sunday, leaves..8:55 a.m.
5 Daily, leaves 12 41 p m.
3 Daily, leaves 4.10 p.m.
9 Daily, leaves 6.10 p m.
13 Daily, except Sunday....9 35 p m.

North Bound.
12 Daily, leaves 2:35 a.m.
14 Daily, leaves ex. Sunday. 5:30 a m.
2 Daily, leaves ex. Sunday..8 05 a m.
6 Daily, leaves 11:57 a m.
4 Daily ex Sunday, leaves..4:35 p m
8 Daily, leaves 6 05 p m.
10 Daily ex Sunday, arr. only 9 05 p m.
60 Sunday only, leaves.....7:48 a.m.
68 Sunday only, arr. only....9 55 p m.

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect January 31, 1904.

No. Going South.
1 Daily ex Sunday 2 25 pm
3 Daily ex. Sunday 6.00 am
21 Sunday only 2:25 pm.

Going North.
2 Daily ex. Sunday 10.55 am
4 Daily ex. Sunday, ar 8:25 pm.
22 Sunday only, ar 10:55 am.

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Trains oNs. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.

Trains Nos 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, O. and Bainbridge, Ohio.

L. E. & W. R. R.

No. West.
1 Daily, leaves 9:55 a.m.
5 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:23 p.m.
3 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:30 a.m.
7 Daily ex. Sunday, arrives 8:10 p.m.

East.
2 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 2:00 a.m.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:50 M
8 Daily, leaves 5:55 p.m.

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No. East.
34 Pgh. special, daily 12:45 am
6 Pgh. & N. Y., daily 7:25 am
36 Crestline accm., da. ex. Sun 9:05 am
30 Alliance accm., da. ex. Sun. 2:15 pm
22 Seashore Limited daily 6:55 pm
8 Pgh. & N. Y., daily 9:30 pm
2 Limited Express, daily....11:07 pm

West.
15 Chgo. & West, daily 1.45 am
23 Chgo. & West, daily 10:23 am
39 Chgo. & West, da. ex. Sun. 9:23 am
9 Chgo & West, daily 3.40 pm
35 Ft. Wayne accm. da. ex. Sun. 5:20 pm

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[TH]E LIST OF QUESTIONS

[Subm]itted by the Allen County Board [of] School Examiners at the Exam[in]ination Held April 2, 1904.

Geography.

[How] is thunder produced? Snow? [Rai]n? Lightning?

[What] would be the effect on [Am]erica if the prevailing winds [were rev]ersed? On Africa?

[What] would be the effect on the [climat]e of Europe, if the ocean [current] would cease? On the Uni[ted State]s?

[In w]hat counties in Ohio are the [following] the county seat: Jefferson, [Zanesvi]lle, Ironton, Newark, San[dusky]?

[Whe]re are the following moun[tains]: [P]orrible? Franklin? Elbruz? Sorata?

[Of w]hat are the following the [capitals]: Montevideo? Toronto? [...]t? Gondar? Teheran?

[How] does part of the water of [...] of New York reach the Gulf [of Mexic]o? Of the United States [...] [Hu]dson Bay?

[Wha]t lakes are the source of the [following]: Amazon? Mississippi? [...]enesol? Snake?

[Wha]t form of government have [the follo]wing: Guyana? Indian Terri[tory? Au]stralia? Philippine Islands?

[Na]me the townships of Allen [county i]n alphabetical order. Which [is the la]rgest? The smallest? The [most pop]ulous?

C. A. GRAHAM.

U. S. History.

[Disc]uss fully the causes which [led] to the promulgation of the [Monroe] doctrine.

[Wh]at were the three (3) great principles of the Monroe doc[trine]?

[Spea]k of the several crucial tests [to which] this doctrine has been put.

[Disc]uss briefly the birth and [growth o]f Mormonism in the U. S. and [r]efer to the Reed Smoot inves[tigation].

[Giv]e a brief account of the Rus[so-Japan]ese war.

[Give a brie]f account of the recent Chap[...]

[Giv]e a brief history of the Erie [canal]. [...]l canal present movement [concerni]ng same.

[Wh]at and when were the follow[ing: Or]ders in Council, Milan Decree, [War of] the Roses, Embargo Act and [...]s bill. Why was the latter [passe]d?

[Disc]uss briefly the development [...] and death of the slave indus[try in th]e U. S.

[T]ell all you can in 10 lines on [Abraha]m Lincoln.

C. L. FESS.

Physiology.

[De]scribe the process of smelling.

[De]fine vivisection, vestibule, vil[...] [...]nater and presbyopia.

[De]scribe fully the relation be[tween t]he kidneys and the skin

[Wh]at is a sensation? What are [the ess]ential conditions of a sensa[tion]?

[Wh]at is the difference between [...]nt and reasoning?

[De]fine ligament, tendon, ossifica[tion, met]abolism and peritoneum.

[Na]me the cranial nerves.

[Na]me the coats of the stomach. [What p]roduces its peristaltic motion?

[Wh]at organs are termed the tri[pod of] life"?

[W]hat are the respective pecu[liaritie]s of the lungs?

Theory and Practice.

[Why] do you consider yourself quali[fied to] fill the important profession of [teachin]g? (State your reasons sys[tematic]ally.)

Arithmetic.

1 A grocer buys some eggs at 15c per dozen. He breaks 15, and then finds that by selling the rest at 16c per dozen he will neither gain nor lose. How many eggs did he buy?

2. At 3½% for 8 years, what fraction of the principal is 1-7 of the interest?

3. Suppose a tree 100 ft. in height be broken off by the wind, and that the top of the tree strikes the ground 40 ft. from its base, while the other end of the part broken off rests on the top of the stump. Required the length of the part broken off.

4. A owes 2-3 of B's income, but, by saving 7-45 of B's income annually, he can pay his debt in 5 years, and have $50 left. What is B's income?

5. The amount of a certain principal for 3 years, at a certain rate per cent is $750, and the interest is 1-4 the principal; what is the principal, and what is the rate per cent?

6. A man bought a farm for $3500, to be paid in 4 years, he failed to pay the interest; what was due at the end of the fourth year, interest 6% payable annually?

7. A train passes a telegraph pole every 7 seconds. If the poles are 66 yards apart, how many miles an hour is the train going?

8. A clock was 15 minutes fast at 11:30 a. m. on Monday. It lost time gradually, and was 10 min. slow at 3:15 p. m on Tuesday. At what time was it exactly right?

9 Find a man's wages for 4 weeks, 3 days, 6 hours at $12 a week, reckoning 6 days to a week and 10 hours to a day.

10. A certain sum in 8 months amounts to $790, and in 19 months to $845, What is the sum and the rate per cent?

H. M. PELTIER.

English Grammar.

1. Show three ways in which the entire complex sentence is necessary to form a principal proposition.

2. Show the similarity and dissimilarity of the participle and infinitive verb.

3. Show wherein certain authorities disagree in their treatment of the noun pronoun, adjective, participle and infinitive, naming your authorities.

4. Why is the subject of English Grammar usually considered difficult for beginners? How do you teach beginners?

6 (a) Outline a lesson on the adverb, (b) Illustrate the use of seven different relative adverbs.

7. Write the plural possession of knight-templar, son-in-law, picayune, panorama, and woman.

8. Parse black face words—**Be** of the same mind **one** toward another. **Whatever** is, is right.

9. Analyze

The blood more stirs
To rouse a lion than to start a hare

10 Diagram and parse black face words:

(a) **Notwithstanding** the returning of the sun from the winter solstice, the cold weather seems **to be loth to leave.**

(b) He was conversant with what art lovers call the unity of variety and what sublimity art has for cultivated minds.

C. L. FESS.

Penmanship.

Write the following as a specimen of your penmanship:

The slaver in the broad lagoon
Lay moored with idle sail;
He waited for the rising moon,
And for the evening gale.

[R]eady For Her Ladyship.

[Lady] Constance Mackenzie, the Eng[lish tr]aveler and beauty, made a long [trip th]rough Texas. At one place a [cattle]y ranch owner invited her to [visit hi]m, and she accepted the invita[tion. T]he owner of the ranch was de[sirous]ed to give his guest a fitting re[ception], so he telegraphed his mana[ger: "]Lady Mackenzie coming tomor[row. M]ake every preparation to treat [her ro]yally." The manager had never [heard] of Lady Mackenzie, but as the [busine]ss of the ranch was raising [fine] horses as well as cattle he de[cided] this must be some fancy race [horse]. The famous guest arrived the [next d]ay, with her party, and found [rea]dy. A clean box stall, with abun[dance] of fresh hay, awaited her.

[Sixt]y-eight Degrees Below Zero.

[The] coldest known spot on the earth's [surfac]e is on the eastern slope, a shelv[ing m]ountain that runs down to near [the w]ater's edge on the eastern bank [of the] Lena river, in northeast Siberia. [The s]pot in question is nine and a [quarte]r miles from Serkerchoof, about [latitu]de 67 north and longitude 134 [...]. The minimum temperature of [this p]lace is 88 degrees below zero. It [is a p]lace of almost perpetual calm. In [the m]ountains near by, where windy [weath]er is the rule, it is not nearly so [...]

Scientists announce that Bright's disease, diabetes, cystitis and every form of kidney and urinary trouble as well as rheumatism, lumbago, and similar affections do not and cannot exist in the great pine forests. The very air is laden with the healing and invigorating breath from the pines. Pineules bring health to your home and are a never failing cure for all the above troubles. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp's drug store

The Chinese Diet.

"The food of the Chinese consists principally of rice and fish." That statement has appeared in nearly every school geography or history that has been published since the flood. "It's all folderol and flapdoodle," says a concessionnaire from the interior of the great empire. "The streams were fished out ages ago, and you seldom find fish in the interior. On the coast, yes, much fish is eaten, but the main food of the Chinese is pork and chickens. Mutton and beef are rare. Less rice is eaten than you would imagine, but there is an abundance of palatable vegetables, and you would find no difficulty in making out a good dinner."

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Mrs. M. Perkins, of 319 Kibby street says: "There was a heavy dull pain across my loins particularly over the left kidney and in my smides. The secretions from the kidneys became irregular, distressing and annoying. I used different remedies, but did not succeed in getting anything to remove the trouble until I went to Melville's drug store and procured a box. I was immediately benefitted and was soon thoroughly relieved of the trouble."

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Names of Animals.

The names for the camel are various, but the oldest seems to be gamal, or the "beast with the hump," which has been thought to be a loan word from Semitic speech, but which has no true Semitic derivation. Another loan word is the name ab, or hab, for the elephant, which occurs in Tamil, in Sanskrit, in Egyptian and in Semitic speech, but which was probably invented in or near India. The names for the horse are all very various, agreeing only in their derivation from roots meaning "to run" or "to be speedy." The taming of the horse seems only to have occurred in a time of early civilization, long after the separation of the various Asiatic stocks.—Scottish Review.

The Mistress Was Forgiving.

A Boston man tells of a colored maid who came home about two hours later than she ought and burst out to her mistress:

"Oh, missus, I's got 'ligion; I's got 'ligion!"

"Very well," said the mistress; "I'll forgive you this time, but don't let it happen again."—Boston Record.

An Oversight.

"Why does Mrs. Clubwoman look so sad?"

"The world's injustice to woman has just struck her forcibly again."

"How was that?"

"She happened to think that Martha Washington isn't called the 'mother of her country.'"—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Addendum.

Kwoter—He thinks he's still youthful. Well, you know the old saying, "There's no fool like an old fool."

Newitt—Yes, and when an old fool dyes his whiskers there's nobody fooled but the old fool.—Philadelphia Press.

He Knew the Distance.

Asked how far off he thought heaven was, the old colored brother replied, "Hit ain't no furder dan I kin fly ef I got faith enough ter git de wings en de devil don't set fire ter 'em on de way!" —Atlanta Constitution.

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In Great Demand.

"What's that line of people in front of your house?"

"Oh, they're neighbors who heard our cook was going to leave and they're waiting for a chance to engage her."

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Prior to the year 1870, when the skin hunters got in their work, 4,000,000 buffaloes occupied the range territory now held by the stock barons.

With the mercury at 10 degrees above zero and a foot of snow on the ground we noted a pair of English sparrows busy building a nest the last of February.

Ensilage forms a most excellent ration for nearly all kinds of farm animals, giving a succulent and appetizing food for poultry, hogs and horses, fed occasionally.

Because a man lives on a farm it is no reason why he should not keep his hair and beard neatly trimmed. Some fine farms have frowsy looking old fellows running them.

The American workingman when at work wants a good ration. This the American farmer produces for him, and this combination is what makes good times on the farm.

Not much in the way of material improvement or advance may be looked for on the part of the darky until the coons and possums of the south are exterminated, for when these are within his reach he seems to have little ambition for anything better or higher.

Unless a supply of rock is accessible the question of road improvement for a great portion of the northwest will have to be settled by drainage, grading and the use of a gravel top dressing. As the country becomes more thickly settled and land values increase the stone crusher may find a place.

If you give your boy a pig or a calf and after he has cared for and reared it you unfairly sold such animal and pocketed the proceeds, don't join the church until you have squared things up with that boy. It will be hard work to keep him from playing with the cat's tail while you offer family prayers if you do.

When a traveling fruit tree agent proposes to give you a bargain in the shape of trees with patent wrappers at 50 cents apiece, you are safe in itemizing it thus: Cost of tree, 10 cents; wrapper, one-half cent, and profit in the pocket of the agent, 39½ cents. Don't encourage these frauds by such donations, but buy your trees of your nearest reliable nurseryman. At least be sane enough to get his price list.

The popular idea of Siberia that it is a vast, barren waste, a land of drought and intense cold, is false, the fact being that it is as nearly like our western prairie country before it was settled as can well be. True, Siberia has a torrid heat in summer and an arctic cold in winter, but it has abundant rainfall, possesses a rich soil and is easily capable of producing unlimited crops of all cereals common to the latitude in which it lies.

A singular migration of wild fowl is reported from the upper Mississippi valley as occurring the middle of February, in the very dead of a hard winter, being a southward movement of vast numbers of gulls and ducks which had been driven from the usually open water of Lake Michigan by the closing up of their feeding grounds by ice, thousands of birds being found starved to death on the ice fields. The instinct of birds is not always equal to their self preservation under such extraordinary conditions.

While there are dairy herds here and there that possess individuals which have a butter record of 250 pounds per year, the vast majority of herds do not approach this. The only remedy available is to weed out the unprofitable members. The constant aim of the dairyman as well as the stock raiser should be to rid himself of all animals showing undesirable traits or variations and the careful selection and propagation of all those which show individual excellencies. This can be done only through a careful study of the individuals of the herd.

Growers of corn should take extraordinary precautions in securing and testing their seed this year. Reports from many portions of the corn belt indicate a degree of vitality much below the average. No corn that does not show a germination of at least 95 per cent or that does not show a strong vitality should be planted. A simple method of testing is to wrap a representative sample of the corn that is desired for seed in a wet cloth or paper and place in a warm room. This should be moistened from time to time. At the end of five days it will be well sprouted if it is suitable for seed. Basing estimates on such tests, no poor seed need be planted.

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The state of New York made 40,910,794 pounds of butter and 123,487,518 pounds of cheese for the year 1903.

The old rotten straw stack in the middle of the field is a blemish to any farm. It takes five years to get rid of it.

While a tree will grow if planted in the fall, provided there is moisture enough in the soil, the spring is still the better time to plant it.

Seed corn is so easily robbed of its vitality that really the common sense and safe thing to do is to thoroughly test all seed before planting.

The war in the far east may be depended upon to impart a strong tone to the prices of all farm products for the coming year. It will pay to produce all crops possible.

Analysis shows that the highest percentages of oil and protein are found in the chit, or germ, of the kernel. For this reason select for seed corn having long kernels well filled at the germ end.

The average boy is more likely to follow the example of his father than the precept of his mother. Fortunate the woman who does not have a handicap along this line in the rearing of her sons!

The clover plant lives two years and dies a natural death. While there seem to be exceptions to this rule, the exceptions will generally be found to arise from a reseeding of the first year's crop.

In ordering seed corn from foreign houses be sure to specify northern grown corn. Otherwise you may be confronted in the middle of September with a crop of corn that needs six weeks more in which to ripen.

In the grim contest being waged in the far east Russia is not fighting rice fed coolies, but a people who appreciate the value of American pork, beef and flour—seemingly insignificant factors which may have much to do in deciding the struggle.

If you are fond of early green stuff and don't want to build a hotbed, scatter some lettuce seed in a warm, sheltered spot the last of March and rake in gently. The plants will soon appear and are not damaged by the frost. Transplant in a bed eight inches apart if you would have the finest heads.

It will be as much of an achievement to look back upon in declining years to have raised several blue ribbon boys and girls as to have produced hogs that were prize winners at the county and state fairs. It is only scrubs that will beat you out of your property and let you go to the poorhouse.

The roads adjoining the land of a prosperous farmer near where the writer lives have been almost impassable this winter because of the fact that he neglected to cut the weeds on the highway last summer, as required by the new law of the state. The weeds have proved a catchall for all the drifting snow.

The sparrow because it winters with us and breeds earlier in the season than any of our native birds takes possession of all nesting places sought by such birds as wrens, martins and bluebirds, and these birds are either driven away when they arrive from the south or obtain a nesting place as the result of a hard fight with the little brown pests.

Methods of farm management are coming more and more to depend upon the ability to secure needed and reliable help. Many a farmer is face to face with the problem of selling half his land, reserving such as he can manage himself or getting into an entirely stock raising business. Choice as between raising the dual purpose Shorthorn or the Doddy is largely dependent upon getting necessary help.

The cotton boll weevil, which is destroying so large a portion of the cotton grower's profit and the ravages of which give promise of increasing rather than diminishing, may not prove an unmixed evil after all. It will almost force upon the heretofore exclusive cotton growing sections a diversified agriculture, which will tend in some measure to restore the virgin fertility of the soil lost in continuous cropping to cotton.

A lily white hand with a diamond on the third finger is not unnaturally a possession which the average woman would be glad to have, but such hands are not the ones which feed, dress and spank the American boys who are making the nation great. The womanly hand which is thus shaping the destiny of the republic is not soft or white, and no gem sparkles upon it. Browned and sometimes calloused, it commands a reverence from all for the patriotic way in which it does its work.

A reader, a farmer of limited means, wishes to know if he can make a success of a silo by digging a long and wide trench in the ground and after filling it with silage cover it with hay or straw and a layer of earth. No; he cannot. Such a plan would be a total failure, as the air would not be excluded from contact with the silage, and he would have a fermented, rotten mess of stuff when he opened it. The secret of building the successful silo is to shut out the air, and the easiest and cheapest way to attain this result is to build an airtight cylinder the height of which shall be at least two and a half times its diameter. The greater the pressure the better the silage will keep.

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A MONKEY'S JOKE.

It Gave Him a Good Dinner, While It Startled the Cook.

I remember in a description of India or Ceylon some forty years ago a story of an Englishman who had a monkey. Looking out of his window one day, he saw his cook getting a fowl ready for boiling, while the monkey lay on the ground shamming death, and a party of crows stood at a little distance divided between the desire for the kitchen offal and the fear of the possibly shamming monkey. One crow more adventurous than the rest came within the magic distance and was instantly in the clutch of the monkey. At the same moment the cook, having finished trussing the fowl, put it into the pot and went away.

The monkey plucked his crow as he had just seen the cook pluck the fowl, took the fowl out of the pot, put the crow in and retired with his exchange. When the cook came back and saw the fowl left preparing for his master's luncheon turned black he was, as may be supposed, struck black with terror at this manifest intervention of the evil one.—London Spectator.

You cannot cure piles by external applications. ManZan is put up in a collapsible tube, with nozzle, and is applied where most needed. ManZan stops the pain, soothes, cools and cures. H F Vortkamp's drug store.

Which Was Far Worse.

Williamson—Does your wife always have the last word? Henderson—Well, if she doesn't, old fellow, she looks it.—Smart Set.

It is better to swallow a lie than to utter it.

Serious Stomach Trouble Crued.

I was troubled with a distress in my stomach, sour stomach and vomiting spells, and can truthfully say that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me.—Mrs. T. V. Williams, Laingsburg, Mich. These tablets are guaranteed to cure every case of stomach trouble of this character. For sale by all druggists.

A Discouraged Author.

"I have written dozens of articles and never had one accepted," sighed the discouraged author.

"Write something on vaccination," advised the bosom friend.

"Vaccination."

"Yes; it might take."—Illustrated Bits.

Broke Into His House.

S LeQuinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of chronic constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure, 25 cents at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

"Both Eaches."

A Kansas young woman living in Halstead denied her engagement for several weeks, but has finally admitted that it is true. "Yes," she confessed, "he is mine; I am his'n, and we are both eaches."—Kansas City Star.

Testimony of a Minister.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes. "For 12 years, I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for liver and kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp. Only 50c.

Sure Enough.

Teacher—The winter is almost over now. You may tell me, Tommy, what is coming next.

Tommy (promptly)—The circus.—Philadelphia Press.

"I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets with most satisfactory results," says Mrs. F. L. Phelps, Houston, Texas. For indigestion, biliousness and constipation these tablets are most excellent. Sold by all druggists.

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BODY

Of A. C. McAdow Is Recovered.

It Was Found

Shortly After Midday Sunday.

That of His Companion Warnecke Was Brought to Surface Saturday.

McAdow Funeral Held at Ottawa This Afternoon, With the Local Masonic Order in Charge—Attendance Was Large.

Ottawa, O., April 4.—The body of A. C. McAdow, the liveryman of this place, who, together with Frank Warnecke, of Kalida, was drowned while trying to ford Hog creek at the entrance of the long dike near Kalida, Friday evening, was found Sunday about noon. That of Warnecke was discovered Saturday. The horses were located a short distance down the creek, lodged against a tree. Neither men nor animals had drifted far from the point where they entered the surging waters. The body of Warnecke was buried from his home in Kalida. He leaves a wife and a family of eight small children.

The remains of McAdow were brought to this place on Sunday evening and taken to the McAdow home, where they rested until this afternoon at one o'clock, when the funeral was held from Trinity M. E. church, the sermon being delivered by Rev. C. W. Sullivan, pastor, who performed the sad mission of going to Toledo to inform Miss Ethel McAdow, a daughter who is a stenographer in that city, of the death of her father. He accompanied Miss McAdow home. The Masonic organization performed their funeral rites over the body of their departed brother. The funeral was very largely attended. The remains were taken to the Harmon cemetery, near Gilboa, for interment.

It has developed that the men were informed of the condition of the dike by James Dicus, who resides just at the entrance. To the men before entering, he is said to have remarked that they might be swept away, and had better stay with him over night. The men joked about the matter, it is said, and even went so far as to suggest, one to the other, that if he be drowned, the surviving member would care for the other's family. They apparently did not fear any imminent danger.

A spring blessing for all mankind. There's nothing like Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea to make one strong, healthy and robust. Keeps the whole family well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. F. Vortkamp.

VICTIMS

Of "Booze" and "Dope" Remembered by a Solon.

Bill to Provide for Their Care Is Introduced in the Ohio State Legislature.

The Rawson dipsomaniac bill, introduced in the Ohio State Legislature, last week, provides for a commission of three to be named by the governor without salaries, but with $2,000 for stenographers and expenses.

It shall be the duty of the commission to gather from judges of probate and police courts, superintendents of state hospitals for the institutions for the care of the defective and criminal classes in Ohio and other states of the United States, and from officers of institutions already established in other states and in Europe for the treatment of drug inebriates and dipsomaniacs, such data as will enable them to determine the necessity or advisability of the establishing by the state of a hospital for the treatment of habitual inebriates and dipsomaniacs and persons enslaved by morphine and cocaine. Such data with the conclusions drawn therefrom shall be reported to the governor on or before Jan. 1, 1906, and by him transmitted with his recommendation to the general assembly.

Experts in the handling and treatment of inebriates, opium and cocaine fiends favor the scientific care of sufferers from these ills which are now universally recognized as diseases and not moral defects controllable by the victim.

Thoburn's Kings Daughters will hold a business meeting on Wednesday evening in room No. 5 in Trinity M. E. church. As this is the first meeting this year, let all the members attend at 7:30 promptly. SECY.

FEAST

Of the Resurrection of Christ

Is Celebrated

In a Fitting Manner by Catholics.

Beautiful Services Held at St. Rose Church Yesterday Morning.

Mozart's Twelfth Mass Well Rendered by the Regular Choir Under the Directorship of John M. Bingham.

The feast of the resurrection was grandly observed at St. Rose church yesterday. The principal service commemorating the joyous event was held at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, when solemn high mass was celebrated by the Rev. Paulinius, of Carthagenia, as celebrant, Rev. Alfred J. Manning, as deacon, and Mr. James Higginbotham, of the Cleveland Seminary, as sub-deacon. The Easter sermon was preached by Father Paulinius on the victory which the crucified Savior gained over Satan, His personal enemies, death and the grave. His glorious resurrection from the tomb was vividly pictured to the large congregation present. The altars were lavishly decorated with Easter lillies and choice flowers, and the music by the regular choir under the direction of Mr. John M. Bingham with Miss Anna Cantwell at the organ, was indeed fitting. Mozart's twelfth mass was sung by a well balanced chorus of excellent voices, and the music was one of the beautiful features of a magnificent and impressive service. The choir was organized as follows:

Sopranos—Mrs. J. M. Bingham, Mrs. A. F. Vortkamp, Miss Anna Kane, Miss Katherine Longmeier, Miss Ella Smallwood, Miss Anna Gagin, Mrs. M. Foley and Mrs. E. Christen.

Altos—Miss Margaret O'Neill, Miss Teresa Stein, and Miss Anna Gorman.

Tenors—Peter Laughlin, Jas. J. Weadock and Philip Minaugh.

Bassos—Thos. Cunningham, O. W. Regan, O. J. Feltz, E. Christen, H. Pruck and J. M. Bingham.

TYPHOID FEVER

Caused the Death of Miss Icey Wren.

Last evening about 8:30 o'clock Miss Icy Wren passed away at the La Belle Sanatorium, after an illness of about six weeks with typhoid fever. She was born in Shelby county, November 18, 1880, and had been a resident of Lima but a few years. She was an employe of the Deiser-Wemmer Cigar Co., and was very popular with her co-workers.

Miss Wren was taken to the Sanatorium about four weeks ago. The remains were taken to the home of a sister, Mrs. Michael Casey, 811 north Union street.

She leaves her mother, Mrs. Edward Wren, who is seriously ill at Jackson Center; two sisters, Mrs. Casey and Miss Hazel Wren, and one brother.

The remains will be taken to Jackson Center, leaving here over the Detroit Southern at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning, and the funeral and interment will take place in that village. Miss Wren possessed many excellent traits of character and was loved and respected by all who knew her.

CARD OF THANKS.

Through the columns of the Times-Democrat, we wish to thank our friends and neighbors, who were so kind to us in our sad bereavement—the death of our father, George Close.

DAUGHTER AND SON.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

POST

Of Lima Elects Officers

For the Year.

T. P. A. Growing Into a Strong Organization,

And the Purpose of Self-protection Brings Salesmen Into the Fold.

Cincinnati and Lima Were the First to Show the Strength of the Order in the Buckeye State.

The Travelers Protective Association of Lima, which now has a membership of 65, met Saturday evening and held their third annual election of officers. T. J. Edwards was elected president; Sam Winefield, first vice president; Elmer E. Hays, second vice president, and Walter Booth secretary and treasurer. The board of directors includes Wm. Hay, Wm. Wemmer, Thomas Morrison, Scott McGinnis and Robert Platt; legislative committee, Tom Morrison and T. J. Edwards; press committee, Elmer E. Hay, and Frank Thomas; hotel committee, Sam Tigner and Charles Banta; employment committee, Roy Banta, Henry Wemmer and Sterge Sealts.

The Lima post in both its social and business relations, is one of the most active in the state. A year ago there were but two posts in Ohio—Cincinnati and Lima, and yet these two had enough influence at the national convention held at Indianapolis to elect E. W. Donham, of Cincinnati, president of the association. It was only another victory for the Buckeye boys and since then new posts have sprung up throughout the state until there are now twelve posts back of the interests of the traveling salesmen. Ohio expects this year to capture the honors for the honor of securing the largest increase in membership.

The three important committees of the order are the hotel, legislative and employment. The former keeps the lodges posted on the standing of hotels throughout the state and where the best service can be obtained. The legislative committee is alive to the interests of the salesmen when it comes to statutes relating to business affairs in which they are vitally interested, and the employment committee is supposed to exert its endeavors toward taking care of such members of the post who may be deprived of their positions, by securing them employment with other firms. The Lima post holds a meeting once a month, and its membership is sure to be largely increased.

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$1.75 for a very choice grade Washable Kid Gloves, all colors.

Our Black Undressed Kid Gloves at $1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 are the very best to be had. The $2.00 grade is the famous "REYNIER" make. Known the world over as the highest class gloves.

Splendid Lisle Gloves in black and white at 25c and 35c.
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Choice Silk Gloves with double finger tips, 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.25.

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Special Sale 14c.

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More New Dress Goods Came Saturday.

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Everything on the ground floor, no stairs or elevators to trouble you when you come here. Come for Curtains this week.

Ruffled Curtains.

These for a change in your bedroom, some of them are so cheap that you can afford to throw away the old ones.

Small size plain white muslin Curtain with fancy striped ruffle, measures full 2 1-2 yards long, 29c the pair.

Fine white striped Swiss ruffled Curtains, special at 50c pair.

Good quality extra full size white muslin Curtains with embroidered ring dots, 89c pair.

Fancy striped muslin Curtains 2 1-2 yards long with full ruffle. Extra value 75c pair.

Extra large size fancy striped muslin Curtains with plain ruffle $1 pair.

Fine quality plain white muslin Curtains, full size ruffle with lace or hemstitched edge $1 pair.

Very fine plain Swiss Curtains 3 yards long, with full ruffle, worth $2; special price $1.39 pair.

Lace Curtains.

Extra large Nottingham Curtains with heavy border, $1.25 pair.

Nottingham Lace Curtains 61 inches wide, 3 1-2 yards long. Special at $1.50 pair.

Fine Nottingham Lace Curtains same size as above. Very special at $2 pair.

Cream White Cable Net Curtains, plain center with neat border $2.75 pair.

Fine Arabian Net Curtains full size, three inch insertion border. Special price $2.75 pair.

Nottingham Lace Curtains in new Coral design, full length and width. Special at $3.25 pair.

Very fine Cable net Curtains with heavy classic border at $3.50 pair.

Handsome Arabian Net Curtains with new Rococo border $3.50 pair.

Cable Net Curtains 3 1-2 yards long, 58 inches wide; renaissance border with satin finish stripe, $4 pair.

Bonne Femme Curtains of fine brussels net, white and ecru, variety of new designs $6 and $7 pair.

SPECIAL, 25 pairs handsome white Irish Point Curtains, full size. Regular price $7, for this week only, $5.34 pair.

Window Shades.

Let us measure your house for new Shades.

All colors and widths from 25c up. Special prices on all contracts made this month.

WHITELY

Is to Organize Company to Fight Trust.

It Will Be Known as Co operative Farmers' Harvester and Implement Company.

A press despatch from Springfield, Ohio, says:

"Wm. N. Whitely, of this city, the ex-reaper king, has announced that this week there will be incorporated in Columbus, the Co-operative Farmers' Harvester and Farm Implement Co., with a capital stock of $5,000,000. The purpose of the company, he said, will be to fight the agricultural implement trust and kindred organizations.

"The new corporation will be backed by the national grange, the members of which have pledged 'themselves to take $1,500,000 worth of the stock. A large plant will be erected on 80 acres of ground at Springfield.

"Captain E. L. Buchwalter, president of the American Seeding Machine company, a member of the combine, stated Saturday afternoon: "We are not worried in the least. In fact I can congratulate Mr. Whitely if he carries out his plans."

It's the little colds that grow into big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

ILLNESS

Of Gen. A. V. Rice Will Likely Prove Fatal.

Messages from Washington announce that there has been no improvement in the condition of Gen. A. V. Rice, and it is now feared he cannot recover. His illness has covered a period of three weeks during which he has steadily grown worse.

Watches on Easy Payments

There are hundreds who want a good watch, but don't feel like paying cash in full. Yet how easy if done on payments. Come in and see us on a plain credit proposition. No papers to sign. No club or lottery scheme. You get the watch NOW. If we accept the credit you take the watch, and pay us a

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SOME GOOD NEWS.

Lima people who appreciate good soda water, served temptingly with pure, rich syrups and clear, sparkling carbonized water, will be greatly interested in the announcement that the popular fountain at the Bachman bakery has been opened for the season. This soda fountain has always been the center of attraction in the soda season and with the approach of spring and summer, the old-time popularity is again started. 48-3t

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